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Editorials

OLD AGE PENSIONS

By Rabbi Ferdinand M. Isserman

We hope that Premier Ferguson will reconsider his previous decision with reference to old-age pensions and will recommend to this session of Parliament the legislation which would enable the Province of Ontario to take advantage of the offer of the Federal Government. The Federal Government is willing to assume half the burden of old-age pensions, if the provincial governments will assume the other half. The Province of Ontario is distinguished for some of its advanced social legislations. Providing pensions for persons over sixty-five years of age would be in line with the best social thought. There is nothing more pathetic than an old man or an old woman who all their lives have worked hard and yet in the winter of their years cannot maintain themselves. The State, when it eases their last years, is rising to noble heights. Sparta let its aged die on the hilltops. We hope Ontario will enable them to live in their homes in self-respect, and free from want.

ADVENTURES IN FELLOWSHIP

In order to express in concrete fashion the spirit of fellowship, which was the result of the recent exchange of pulpits, the Men's Club of the Holy Blossom Synagogue is arranging for a Good-Will Supper on Monday evening, February 27. At that supper a Catholic priest, a Protestant minister, and a rabbi are to speak. Some of the most representative citizens of Toronto as well as the editors of the four daily newspapers have been invited as guests. The members of the Men's Club are also bringing some of their Christian friends. The aim of this supper is to demonstrate in dramatic fashion that good-will can exist between men of varying religious beliefs.

Those who are sponsoring this evening feel that the darkest pages in the story of religion have been written when the spirit of ill-will dominated the relationships between men of varying creeds, sects and faiths. Ill-will is a disease of the soul. Ill-will because of religion is a desecration of God's name. It is the blasphemy of blasphemies. We are anxious to cleanse religion from the accusation, which is too true, that it so frequently has generated a spirit of discord rather than of harmony. Such a good-will meeting where men of all creeds gather on a social basis cannot but be productive of healthful relationships.

We know that there will be some bespectacled swivel-chair critics whose community contacts have been limited to the ghetto circles in which they move or to the four covers of books, who will deprecate this new venture in fellowship. They will call us Don Quixotes for attempting what to them seems the impossible. They will even scorn any adventures in fellowship. To these our answer is that we cannot have too many such expressions of good-will. We do not overestimate their value. We do not believe that because one rabbi has preached in a church and one minister in a synagogue that prejudices which have been germinating for centuries will be uprooted. We do not

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A FEW EQUATIONS

We are all familiar with the parable of the shrewd rustic who left his farm owning a valuable horse, and after a series of trades found himself possessor of a bag of onions. Each transaction involved an economic equation which appeared to him perfectly sound, and presumably he could never discover just where he had been losing out.

Consider a few equations which seem to form the guiding logic in the thinking of certain types of Jewish leadership. Note the result to which the process leads:

We start out with the Jewish people living on their own soil in Palestine. They till the land, they engage in commerce, they worship God, they play music, they sing songs, they form group habits and create institutions, they make political blunders, and produce great books. They fight wars and finally lose their independence. This collection of individuals has the stigmata of a nation. We have the first equation: the Jewish people = a nation.

Then comes the stage of the diaspora. The Jewish nation, continuing its existence away from the scene of its former creativeness, having no channels for the outlet of its many-sided national talents, pours the whole energy of its being into the one vessel that is capable of surviving in exile—its religion. And we get the second equation: Jewish nation = Jewish religion.

We have some eighteen centuries of intensely religious Jewish life compensating in depth and warmth for the breadth and lustre which characterized the more wholesome epoch of Jewish existence in Palestine.

The Jewish people armed with the strength of a national history consider no sacrifices too great for the preservation of the one repository of their cultural values. And we have an epic of struggles and martyrdom for the cause of this religion.

Comes, however, the period of the Jewish emancipation. We observe that religion among the non-Jews is largely a matter of credal affiliation. It is, as was the case in pre-exilic Jewish life, an incident in the cultural life of the nations. It plays a certain part in the scheme of things, but not the tragically important part which the Jewish religion played among its adherents during the centuries. And the tendency is to formulate the new equation: Jewish religion = religion as it is understood among other peoples.

Presently we have the wave of ultra-modernism in religion. Sentimentalists, failing to realize the importance of traditionalism and institutionalism and credalism in the religion of the masses, reduce religion to a bit of abstract emotionalism. By an illusory process of rationalization they dispose of all the substance of historical religion and have left a bit of hazy universalism. And the equation is definable in these terms: religion = a romantic universalistic abstraction.

We have run the gamut of our equations. We started out with a full-blooded fact—that the Jewish people were a highly creative nation. By a certain species of reasoning we have reached the conclusion—a conclusion seriously held by many sections of supposedly

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Among those who attended the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht Club dance were Mr. and Mrs. Bram C. De Sola, Ruth Brotman, Claire Melamud and Dr. Godine and Harry Shankman.

Miss Edie Wigdor, Hutchison Street, was dinner hostess to five Thursday, February 16, for Miss Betty Rosenbaum, of Hartford, Conn. Misses Rose and Mary Lazare, Park Avenue, entertained at a bridge Monday, February 13, complimenting Miss Rosenbaum. Guests were: Mesdames B. Wigdor, Fox, and Misses Esther and Lena Assner, Essie Berson, Clara Popliger, Sophie Popliger, Edie Wigdor, Leah and Fanny Silvinsky, Stella Gardner and Miss Silvinsky. Miss Rosenbaum was presented with a guest prize. Prizes were won by Misses Esther Assner, Fanny Silvinsky and Betty Rosenbaum. Miss Edie Wigdor gave a formal house dance in honour of Miss Rosenbaum, of Hartford, Conn., Saturday, February 18, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Wigdor, Sherbrooke Street West. Guests were: Misses Clara and Sophie Popliger, Mary and Rose Lazare, Essie Berson, Ethel Shane, Lena and Esther Assner, Fanny Silvinsky, and Mesdames Harry Mendelsohn, B. Wigdor and Philip Cohen, and Eddie Levinstein. Eddie Barkoff, Saul Samuels, Jack Illievitz, Jack Cohen, Sam Lerner, Harry Mendelsohn, Israel Popliger, Clarence Rapp, Harold Freiman, Isaac Assner, B. Wigdor, P. Cohen and Moe Lazare. Mrs. Wigdor presented the guest of honour with a gift. Mr. and Mrs. Philip Cohen, Hutchison Street, gave a dinner dance at the Mount Royal Hotel, Friday evening, February 17, with Miss Rosenbaum as honouree. Miss Sophie Popliger, Shuter Street, entertained Wednesday evening, February 15, for her. Misses Edie Wigdor, Rose and Mary Lazare, Essie Berson, Clara Popliger, Myrtle Stein, Sarah Pascal, Sophie Silverman and Mrs. Louis Diner were there. Miss Molly Ratner, St. Louis Square, was hostess at a bridge Tuesday, February 14, honouring Miss Rosenbaum. Mesdames R. Carter, M. Abramsky, of Kingston; S. B. Haltrecht, Harry Mendelsohn, and Misses Edie Wigdor, Molly and Rae Ratner, Miss Stein and Lena Agranoff. Prizes were won by Edie Wigdor and Lena Agranoff.

Miss Rebecca Smilovitz, of Quebec, is the guest of Mrs. M. Marcovitz, Western Avenue.

Miss Clara Popliger, de l'Epee Avenue, entertained at three tables of bridge Sunday afternoon, February 19, for Miss Rosenbaum. Prize-winners were Misses Sybil Popliger, Myrtle Stein, Rose Lazare and Rose Rosen. Miss Rosenbaum was presented with a guest prize.

Mrs. Myer Solomon, Notre Dame de Grace, entertained at a bridge and mah jongg Wednesday, February 15, in honour of Miss Muriel Hamburger, of New York. Guests were: Mesdames S. Cohen, A. Ginsberg, R. Stone, Ross Vineberg, H. Friefeld, Nat Jacobs, Sol Usher, Moe Brown, Sam Fenster, Nathan Solomon, Bob Graedinger, D. Solomon, M. Switzman and Miss Sadye Switzman.

Mrs. S. Warshaw (nee Anna Livshitz), of Philadelphia, is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Livshitz, for a few weeks.

Harry A. Kaplan, of Winnipeg, who spent a month visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Kaplan, 19 Cote Ste. Catherine Road, has returned.

Mrs. R. A. Gilbert, Drummond Street, gave a supper dance in honour of her daughter, Freda, February 17, at the Lewis Reception Rooms.

Miss Florence Kaplan, of New York, spent the week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Kaplan, 19 Cote Ste. Catherine Road.

Miss Lena Eisenstadt, of Ottawa, who was the guest of her sister, Mrs. I. Rubinstein, St. Famille Street, has returned.

Nathan Berson, of New York, who attended the Lerner-Berson wedding, was at the Mount Royal Hotel.

Miss Rose Goldsluss, of New York, who was visiting her sister, Mrs. M. Lapin, Park Avenue, has returned.

Miss Celia Berson, of New York, whoattended the Lerner-Berson wedding, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. Berson, Hutchison Street.

A surprise party was given in honour of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Liverman, 2584 Hutchison Street, Tuesday evening, February 14, on their eighth wedding anniversary. Mrs. Liverman was presented with a silver tea service and Mr. Liverman with a club bag. A Dutch supper was served. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. M. Siblin, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Finestone, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Chorlton, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Rutenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Moe Rutenberg, Gershon Rutenberg, Misses Polly Rutenberg, Carrie Rutenberg, Eva Rutenberg, Rae Chorlton, Hyman Chorlton, Misses Gertrude Chorlton, Goldie Chorlton, Bella Goodkowsky, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Weiner, Mr. and Mrs. C. Benjamin, Hyman Liverman, Misses Marjorie Stark, May Liverman and Celia Liverman.

A stag was held February 16 in honour of Hyman Leibovitch, whose marriage to Miss Fay Phillips took place Sunday, February 19. Abe Leibovitch was toastmaster. S. Dermer, R. Dorfman, David Scharf, Meyer Frank, Hyman Vineberg, Carol Blumer, Max Segal, Joseph Miller, Louis Berhoult, Willie Greenberg, Sam Marcoff, Max Mintz, Harry Korsky and Sam Leibovitch were there.

Mrs. Ralph Carter, assisted by her sister, Miss Leah Agralofs, Durocher Avenue, entertained at four tables of bridge Sunday, February 19, in honour of her niece, Mrs. Leah Aranoff, of St. John, N.B. Guests were: Mesdames J. Shane, M. Schwartz, Mr. and Mrs. J. Levine, Mr. and Mrs. B. Haltrecht, Mr. and Mrs. D. Franklin, and Misses Molly, Ida and Anna Ratner, Rose Azef, Beckie Schwartz, Freda Schulman, Bee Bramson and Eva Carter. Prizes were won by Misses Bee Bramson, Beckie Schwartz, Anna Ratner and B. Haltrecht.

Miss Betty Rosenbaum, of Hartford, Conn., who was the guest of Miss Edie Wigdor, Hutchison Street, has returned.

Mrs. Harry Mendelsohn, Outremont Avenue, gave a luncheon at the Hofbrau in honour of Miss Rosenbaum.

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M. Marcovitz, Western Avenue, returned from Europe February 20 on the "Minnedosa."

Misses Ida and Annie Ratner entertained at a theatre party Wednesday afternoon, February 15, in honour of Miss Betty Rosenbaum, of Hartford, Conn. Guests were Edie Wigdor and Betty Rosenbaum.

Mrs. M. Aranoff, of St. John, N.B., is visiting Mrs. R. Carter, Durocher Avenue.

Sam Cowan, Lajoie Avenue, returned Monday, February 20, on the "Minnedosa" from Europe.

Mrs. M. Abramsky, of Kingston, who was the guest of her sister, Mrs. L. Berman, Clarke Street, has returned.

Misses Ida and Annie Ratner, St. Louis Square, gave a bridge and tea Tuesday evening, February 14, in compliment to Miss Betty Rosenbaum, of Hartford, Conn., and Mrs. M. Aranoff, of St. John, N.B. Guests were: Misses Edie Wigdor, Molly Stein, Kathleen Rosenfeld, Lena Agranoff, Rae Rose, Sarah Miller, and Mesdames M. Aranoff, of St. John, N.B.; M. Abramsky, of Kingston, R. Carter and Harry Mendelsohn. Prizes were won by Mrs. R. Carter and Misses Sarah Miller and Edie Wigdor.

Entertained in honour of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Bittel, of New York, were: Mrs. A. Rosen, at eight tables of bridge, and Miss Luba Kahan, Hutchison Street, at four tables of bridge, Tuesday, February 14. Mrs. Bittel was presented with a guest prize.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Rosen, Hutchison Street, gave a sleigh drive and evening Saturday, February 11, in honour of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Bittel and Max Wolofsky, of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kussner and daughters, Grace and Dorothy, are expected in town to attend the Kahan-Kolber wedding.

Miss Rose Lax, of Quebec, is the guest of Mrs. Joe Goldenberg, Sherbrooke Street West.

Mrs. E. Rosen and daughter, Eva, left February 14 for Los Angeles, Cal., where the latter will be married to I. Leibovitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Leibovitz, of Los Angeles.

A stag was held Saturday, February 11, at the Mount Royal Dining Rooms in honour of Irving Manus, whose marriage to Miss Kate Posluns took place Sunday, February 19. Guests were: Issie Bronstein, Harry Hendleman, William Josefo, Mr. Forman, Mr. Rohrlick, A. Zingboim, Dan Posluns, M. Gold, M. Feldman, Miller, Tepper, Silverstein, Steinberg, Schachter, Harry Rosenberg, A. Rosenberg, Shugar, Friedman, Kishner, Briskin, B. Chibulin, Buchanan, Dr. L. J. Rosen and Hyman Posluns.

Mesdames I. Shaffran and J. Mandelbaum were joint hostesses at a surprise dinner Sunday, February 5, at the former's home, Mary Ann Apartments, in honour of the sixth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. I. Potechin. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. I. Potechin, Mr. and Mrs. L. Braunstein, Mr. and Mrs. A. Berman, Mr. and Mrs. D. Klepper, Mr. and Mrs. H. Schwartz, Mr. and Mrs. H. Blaukopf, Mr. and Mrs. J. Mandelbaum, Mr. and Mrs. L. Markus, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Berlin who sang. Mrs. I. Potechin recited. The hostesses presented the guest of honour with a cereal set and flowers. The guest received souvenirs.

Edward Van Guen, Stuart Avenue, has left for Europe.

Mrs. J. Goldstein, Argyle Avenue, was luncheon hostess Tuesday, February 21, in honour of Miss Ellen Ballon. Mesdames Alton Goldbloom, Bernard Hyams and David Ballon were there.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Migicovsky and children, of Esplanade Avenue, have left for Toronto to visit the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Davis, Sumach Street, for six weeks. Mr. Migicovsky is returning to Montreal at the end of the week.

Mrs. S. Roher and children, Florence and Milton, of Toronto, are visiting her parents, Rabbi and Mrs. I. Rosenberg, Esplanade Avenue.

Miss Muriel Hamburger has returned to New York.

Mrs. H. Isenstein and daughter, Frances, are visiting Mrs. Isenstein's aunt, Mrs. A. Herman, Esplanade Avenue.

Miss Evelyn Rosen, of New York, who spent a week with Miss Malca Herman, Esplanade Avenue, has gone back.

Irving Switzman has returned to New York.

Miss Margaret Axelrode, of Benn, Sask., is visiting Mrs. I. Rappaport, Jeanne Mance Street.

Mrs. H. Herscovitch and Pauline Herscovitch, of Chicago, are visiting Mrs. D. Isaacson, Durocher Avenue.

Manuel Hart gave a theatre party and dance, February 17, in honour of Miss Evelyn Rosen, of New York.

Mrs. M. Bolker, 6025 Jeanne Mance Street, gave a bridge in honour of Miss Sadie Thomas, of Toronto. Guests were Misses Fay and Annie Vinokur, Mrs. H. Halickman, Mrs. S. Segal, Miss Lee Schultz, Misses G. Bogin, S. Thomas, A. Wiseman, Rose and Betty Halickman, Jennie Vineberg, Goldie and Gertie Cohen, R. Greenspan, Sylvie Pressman. Prizes were won by Mrs. H. Halickman and the Misses Fay and Annie Winokur. Miss Thomas assisted in serving.

Saturday evening, February 18, a mock-stag was held at the home of Miss Sophie Feigelson, 3979 Clarke Street. Misses Anna Blumenthal, Mary Engel, Jennie Cohen, Pauline and Mildred Trachtenberg, Anne Steinberg, Sybil Rashback, Ruth Goldman, Ray Rodgers and Leah Gaisin were there. Dutch supper. Misses Mary Feigelson and Jeanne Shklar assisted the hostess.

Joe Rice, of Winnipeg, is visiting Mrs. I. Rappaport, Jeanne Mance Street.

Mort Kaminsky, who has been visiting his parents for the past two weeks, returned home.

Mrs. M. Marcovitch, of Winnipeg, is the guest of Mrs. I. Rappaport, Jeanne Mance Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Isidore Simmerman, Park Avenue, entertained eighteen guests Monday, February 20, on their first wedding anniversary. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. S. Rosen, Mr. and Mrs. L. Rosen, Mr. and Mrs. T. Simmerman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. B. Ram, Mesdames J. Merson, A. Rost, S. Horowitz, Misses Gertie Siegel and Leah Selette; and Bert Ram, Moe Simmerman and George Simmerman.

Fred Josephson, of San Antonio, Texas, is a guest in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Weber, 5033 Esplanade Avenue, gave a Valentine party Saturday afternoon, February 18, in honour of their daughter, Freda's, fourth birthday. Miss Florence Nathanson danced and sang. The house was decorated with Valentine favours, roses and red and white tulips. Mrs. A. M. Weber presided over the tea table and Mesdames Bernard Sommer, S. Venis and Miss Molca Hermann assisted in serving. The children received sweetheart favours and souvenirs. Children present were Ruthie Nathanson, Florence Nathanson, Rhoda Herscovitch, Sylvyrose Berman, Annette Seller, Charlotte Veinish, Frances Isenstein, Joe Sommer, Kaham Paltiel, Ephriam Paltiel, Daniel Paltiel, Avey Venis, Mervin Feldman, Milty and Mervin Weber. Other guests were Mesdames M. Nathan-

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Mrs. S. P. Myers, 5010 Sherbrooke Street West, has returned from a three weeks' trip to Boston. She was accompanied by Mrs. Louis Bennett, of Boston, who spent ten days in town and returned Monday night, February 20.

A stag was held at Miller's Restaurant Saturday, February 18, in honour of Harry Lomon. Sidney Lewis was toastmaster. Among the guests were Nat W. Jacobs, Sam Harfield, Bernard Gradinger, Mario Lattoni, Sidney Blumenfeld, William Katz, Jack Meyers, Marcel Bernstein, Harry Lewis, Jack Goldberg, Louis Goldberg, Sam Carson, Sam Blumer, Louis Tucker, Irving Blumer, Louis Naimer, Sam Weiner, Saul Wexler, Joe Bernstein, Nat Rappaport.

A stag was held Saturday, February 4, at Miller's Restaurant in honour of Irving Saul Blumer. Sam Garfield was toastmaster. The guests were Sam Garfield, A. J. Shalinsky, A. Levine, Harry Lomon, S. H. Shalinsky, Henry Shalinsky, Ben Gelgoot, Dave Rutenberg, Henry Pass, Sam Cowan, Louis Tucker, Sam Weiner, Sam Blumer, Jack Goldberg, Bill Grossman, Theodore Brown, Phil Krupp, S. Hirsch, Nat Alexander, M. Malinsky, Syd Blumenfeld, Louis Naimer and M. H. Shalinsky.

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Nathan Straus was inscribed in the Golden Book by the Canadian Zionist Organization on the occasion of his eightieth birthday, which he recently celebrated by giving a personal contribution of $100,000 towards the rebuilding of Palestine. At a meeting in Jerusalem of the Board of Directors of the Jewish National Fund, it was unanimously decided to inscribe on the first page of the Fourth Volume of the Golden Book ten names, headed by the inscription, "The Zionist Organization and the Hadassah Organization of Canada, for undertaking to raise one million dollars for the redemption of the soil by the Jewish National Fund." Other names inscribed in the Jubilee Volume of the Golden Book are: Ansonville Chapter of Hadassah; M. Ussischkin and the day Canadian Jewry pledged themselves to redeem the Plain of Sharon, inscribed by Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Weidman, Winnipeg; in memory of Mary Geisha Abramowitz, of New York, inscribed by her children, Mrs. A. Levin, Mrs. Charles Burros, and Dr. H. Abramowitz; in the name of Mrs. Rose Singer, Montreal, on the occasion of the birth of her daughter, inscribed by Montreal Hadassah; in the name of Baby Vivian Malca Singer, Montreal, inscribed by the Dominion Hadassah Council; in the memory of Mrs. Fruma Rachel Takeman, Montreal, inscribed by Montreal Hadassah; Hadassah Chapter of Fort William; Mrs. Anna Halperin, Timmins, inscribed by the Daughters of Israel Chapter; Mrs. Ida Rosenfeld, Montreal, inscribed by Rachel Anna Leavy Chapter; Mrs. Mary Stockhammer, Winnipeg, inscribed on her 39th birthday by S. Stockhammer; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Field, Yorkton, on the occasion of their wedding; in commemoration of the day Canadian Jewry pledged themselves to redeem the Plain of Sharon, inscribed by the Zionist Community of Estevan; Joseph Blumberg, Vancouver; Mrs. Sara Heppner, Winnipeg, inscribed by her husband, Max Heppner; Mr. and Mrs. E. Bronfman, Winnipeg, inscribed by Ezra Chapter of Hadassah; Mr. and Mrs. Max Lebansky, Winnipeg, on the occasion of their 15th anniversary; Mr. and Mrs. Max Adilman, Saskatoon, on the occasion of a banquet given prior to their departure for Palestine; Mr. and Mrs. Max Adilman, Saskatoon, inscribed by friends in Winnipeg; Samuel G. Bendon, Montreal, inscribed by the Maccabaean Zionist Order Habonim; in memory of Mrs. Rosa Vineberg, wife of Mr. Samuel Vineberg, inscribed by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goodman; Agudath Achim Congregation, New Glasgow; Lillian Freiman Chapter of Hadassah, Vancouver; Rabbi J. L. Zlotnik, on the occasion of his 40th birthday, inscribed by the Bialik Hebrew School, Montreal; and Mrs. Mollie Rudolph, Montreal, inscribed by the Judith Chapter of Hadassah.

HADASSAH

North End Chapter met at the home of Mrs. S. Kabak, Monday, February 20. Mrs. L. Matthews presided. Mrs. N. Auerbach and Mrs. S. Selinsky conveners of the bridge, February 29, distributed tickets. Mrs. L. Herzig spoke on the dollar shower. Telephone committee consisting of Mesdames S. Cooperstone, L. Matthews, S. Selinsky, S. Margolin, W. Maletz, I. Dubitsky, N. Auerbach and M. Hornstein was arranged instead of sending weekly cards. $100 will be sent to the hospital shower. New members, Mesdames S. Kabak and R. Silverman. Mrs. S. Margolin thanked the hostess and Mrs. N. Auerbach thanked the speaker. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. N. Black, 225 Sherbrooke Street West. Friends invited.

Miriam Dower Chapter held a social Monday, February 20, at the home of Mrs. H. Miller, 1045 St. Viateur Street, Mrs. L. Herzig spoke on the dollar shower. Business meeting Monday, February 27, at the home of Mrs. S. Salomovitch, 4810a Park Avenue.

Rachel Anna Levy Chapter entertained at a surprise party for friends in honour of Mrs. M. Bernstein, at her home 6548 St. Hubert Street. Mrs. Bernstein was presented with a gift. Mrs. S. Rosenfield donated $25 towards the chapter for inscribing her name in the Golden Book. Miss Sylvia Cohen played the piano.

Young Ladies Zionist Chapter held a bridge and mah jongg Monday, February 20, at the home of Mrs. H. Shiller, 1347 Lajoie Avenue. A brass gong raffle was won by Mrs. M. Webber. The hostesses were Mesdames H. Miller, M. Greenblatt, H. Genser and A. Rill. Next meeting Monday, February 27, at the home of Mrs. S. Rubin, 1349 Lajoie Avenue.

Sybil Cohen Chapter met at headquarters Monday, February 20. Mrs. H. Lazarus was hostess. Mrs. M. H. Cohen presided and spoke on National Fund work. Miss Eva Bindman was appointed convener of the matzohs to come from Palestine. Musicale Wednesday evening, March 7, Miss Lillian Schwartz, convener. Next meeting Monday, February 27, will be a bridge with Mrs. Holdengraver, of Bathurst, Ont., as hostess.

JEWISH PERETZ SCHOOL AUXILIARY

The Women's Auxiliary of the Jewish Peretz School met at the home of Mrs. J. Marcus, 198 Bernard Avenue West. J. Abel read from the works of Sholem Alechem and several Jewish folk songs were sung by graduates of the Peretz School accompanied by Miss Sarah Marcus. A silk cushion raffled brought in $21 and was won by Mrs. Slotsky.

FRESH AIR FUND BENEFIT

Jewish Laurentian Fresh Air Fund benefit bridge and mah jongg, Tuesday, March 13, at Victoria Hall, Westmount. Particulars from the conveners, Mrs. Harry Wener, Walnut 4357; Mrs. S. Wittes, Atlantic 0569; or Mrs. L. Klineberg, Westmount 6511. Fresh Air Camp Fund will meet Wednesday, February 29, at 2.30 at Annex Hall, Fairmount Avenue. H. Batshaw will speak; Anna Tritt will recite. Members will bring their friends. Tea.

YOUNG ISRAEL

Senior Young Israel and the Intermediates met Thursday evening, February 16. Ralph Zabetsky presided. Max Garmaise was spokesman for the Intermediates. New headquarters, formed main discussion. Committee elected: J. Caplan, M. Kurtz, I. Kreminer.

A chest of silver was presented to H. S. Herschovich at a stag tendered by Young Israel Boys. A vote of thanks was given to Mr. and Mrs. S. Richler for entertaining Young Israel members at a supper dance in honour of their daughter's marriage. Miss Celia Boness suggested that Young Israel invite Louis Golding to lecture here. Theatre night of Ladies League at the Orpheum Theatre, February 27, 1928. Tickets from Miss Kate Rohr, Belair 4713w.

Junior Boys held their bi-monthly meeting Sunday evening, January 29. L. Darabaner spoke before departing for New York to the Rabbinical Seminary, and resigned as president. Officers elected: President, I. Freedman; vice-president, C. Zabetsky; secretary, M. Levitt; treasurer, S. Routtenberg.

DEATHS

Mrs. Riva Shaffran, wife of Lazare Shaffran, 4345 Clarke Street, died Friday, February 10, at the age of forty-nine. Funeral was held Sunday, February 12. She is survived by her husband, ten children, Sylvia, Ida, Freda, Rae, Isidore, Abraham, Harry, Norman and Joe Shaffran and Mrs. H. Blaukopf, two grandchildren, Norman and Gloria Shaffran, and one sister Mrs. S. Bernstein.

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ENTERTAINMENTS FOR BRIDES-ELECT

Misses Ruth and Mamie Miller, Notre Dame Street, were joint hostesses at a bridge Saturday, February 4, as a courtesy to Miss Mattye Finestone, a bride-elect of March 11. At the party were: Misses Esther Slabosky, Celia Heller, Jeanette Fertel, Esther Weinrauch, Sadie Shapiro, Anne Fickler, Fanny Rashkin, Anne Drimer, Lil Coleman, Rena Lurie, Birdie Silver, Ida Yaphe, Nettie Silverman, Sophie Silverman, Ruth Arnovitz, Ida Avelman, Dora Dolansky and Bessie Schechter. Prizes were won by Misses Esther Weinrauch, Ida Yaphe, Lil Coleman, Jeanette Fertel, Dora Dolansky. A prize was presented to the guest of honour.

Among hostesses for Miss Libbie Adelstein, a bride-elect of March 7, were: Mrs. Robert Lightstone, Strathcona Avenue, crystal shower, February 14; Mrs. Peter Solomon, Oliver Avenue, February 15, handkerchief shower; Mrs. S. H. Feldman, bridge and mah jongg, February 12; and Mrs. Jack Schecter, Bernard Avenue, kitchen shower, bridge and mah jongg at a hotel.

Mrs. Abe Rosen, Hutchison Street, gave a personal shower and ten tables of bridge Wednesday, February 15, as a courtesy to Miss Luba Kahan, a bride-elect of March 11. Prizes were won by Mesdames S. Kolber, H. Gold, L. Crestohl and Misses Freda Herman, Fanny Greenbaum, Hilda Pearlman, Frances and Freda Katz.

Misses Rena Lurie and Dora Dolansky were joint hostesses at a personal shower February 12 at the Pagoda, as a compliment to Miss Mattye Finestone, a bride of March 11. Present: Mesdames A. Finestone, J. Finestone, M. Mayper, G. Greenstein, S. Greenstein, L. Koff, Kaufman, M. Lankofsky, W. Finestone, A. Finestone, L. Freedlander, L. M. Cohen, A. Krezmer, Cohen, Spector, Pinchuk, S. Black, S. Dolansky, A. Fogel, A. Pinchuk, H. Greenstein, A. Scutelsky, and Misses Anne Dubnitsky, Dora Black, Becky Cramer, Reva Lurie, Bessie Schecter, Mamie Miller, Ruth Miller, Freda Herman, Ethel Krezmer, Ida Adelman, Miss Michaelson and Miss Bramdis.

Misses Bess Saul and Anne Schaffer entertained at three tables of bridge at the former's home, Esplanade Avenue, Thursday, February 23, with Miss Marie Scharf, a bride of February 26, as honouree. She was presented with a gift. Mesdames Leon Rubinovitch, Edward Schultz, Ben Schaffer, A. Herer, M. Bluestone, P. Frattman, J. Nissenson, D. Golt, Harry Roth, Manny Raich, Ben Roter, and Misses Sally Bernard, Gertie Bazaar and Anne Saul were there.

Miss Florence Freeman, Querbes Avenue, entertained at the tea hour Saturday, February 18, in honour of Miss Celia Cohen, a bride-elect. Misses Nancy Wyne, Eleanor Ein, Miriam Houseman, Evelyn Shapiro, Ruth Usher, Molly Darwin, Natalie Vilinsky, Lillian Bernard and Mrs. I. Levine were there. A prize was given to the guest of honour.

In honour of Miss Libbie Adelstein, a bride-elect, Mrs. S. H. Feldman, Park Avenue, entertained at bridge and mah jongg on February 12, at the home of her mother, St. Joseph Boulevard. Guests were: Mesdames B. Lightstone, J. Rosen, N. P. Solomon, D. Klein, Bernard Hyams, J. Schector, Louis Schachter, Bernard Marks and Misses Nettie Adelstein, Anne Marks, Lillian Schaffer, Pearl Genser, Clara Greenberg, Anna Fickler and Jennie Block.

Mrs. Philip Frattman, of Boston, Mass., was hostess at four tables of bridge and mah jongg Sunday, February 19, at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. Spiegel, Esplanade Avenue, for Miss Bess Saul, a bride-elect, welcoming Mesdames Max Bluestone, L. Litner, Jack Stahl, Colin Spiegel, Morris Godel, Edward Schultz, Leon Rubinovich, J. Saul, A. Herer, J. Nissenson, J. Spiegel, and Misses Anne Saul, Gertie Bazaar, Anne Schaffer, Sally Bernard. Prizes were won by Mesdames J. Saul, Edward Schultz and Gertie Bazaar. The guest-of-honour was presented with a pair of brass vases.

Mrs. S. Lazar and Miss Annette Smith were joint hostesses at a linen shower and bridge Sunday afternoon, February 19, in honour of Miss Jennie Ruderman, a bride-elect. Guests were: Mesdames M. Taylor, M. Korn, H. Samuels, H. Kroll, R. Davis, R. Lenar, S. Lazar, H. Levine, F. Vaz, W. Bernstein, J. Reiderman, A. Sepinwall, M. Applebloom, and Misses Emma and Gertie Seaman, Becky and Annie Shapiro, Sophie Shapiro, Annette Smith, Sophie Lenar, Nettie Lazar, Bertha St. Mars, Mignon Gagnon, Fernand Quentil, Rita Houde, Rita Bourdeau, Sarah Cohen, Sophie Davis, Nettie Lazar, Alexina Desroches, Estelle Schlenger, Lily Samulofsky, Elsie Kessler, Mamie Schlenger, Katie and Lily Reiderman, Lily Sepinwall and Sarah Applebloom.

In honour of Miss Eva Rosen, whose marriage to I. Leibovitz takes place in Los Angeles shortly, Mrs. M. Steinman and Mrs. I. Rosen were joint hostesses at a linen shower at the Pagoda; Mrs. J. Rosen, Pine Avenue West, personal shower; Miss Pauline Kanigsberg, Mance Street, initial tea; Mrs. S. Kazenel, Verdome Avenue, bridge; Miss Rose Ganser, bridge at the Junior League Tea Room; and Misses Rebecca Marcus and Eda Bogo, bridge.

Mrs. D. Schneider, St. Hubert Street, gave a miscellaneous shower Sunday, February 19, with Miss Ethel Rappaport, a bride-elect of Sunday, February 26, as honouree. Guests were: Mesdames I. Rappaport, S. Rappaport, Misses Ethel and Pearl Rappaport, Tillie Newman, Frances Newman, Lillian Schneider, Mesdames N. Newman, K. Schneider, N. Finkle, A. Feldman, B. Brown, D. Rackower, D. Myer, M. Morris, D. Spector, D. Greenberg, G. Bookman, A. Griel, Misses Goldie Myer, Dora Schwartz, Mary Lomon, Ethel Lazarovitch, A. Aronoff, and Ruth Schneider, and Mesdames Louis Marcovitch, G. Marcovitch, M. Butler, S. Abrams, R. Abrams, M. Schneider, B. Varnosky, Schwartz, B. Lomon, R. Hart, Goldberg, Kaller, I. Schneider, Aranoff, and Miss Gussie Abrams.

Among those who entertained in honour of Miss Sara Berson, whose marriage to Samuel Lerner took place Sunday, February 19, were: Misses Anne and Rhoda Lerner, personal shower at the Mount Royal Hotel; Mrs. S. Ortenberg, Prince Arthur Street West, linen shower; Mrs. Norman Pedvis, Esplanade Avenue, kitchen

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Entertaining for Miss Fay Phillips, whose marriage to Hyman Leibovitch took place Sunday, February 19, were: Mesdames N. Frank and S. M. Frank, miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. N. Frank, Clarke Street; Mrs. S. Dermer, linen shower at the Lewis Reception Rooms; Mrs. Joseph Leibovitch, Roy Street, supper; Mr. and Mrs. David Phillips, Henri Julien Street, supper; Mrs. S. M. Frank, St. Urbain Street, dinner.

Hostesses who honoured Miss Kate Posluns, whose marriage to Irving Manus took place Sunday, February 19, were: Misses Ida and Sally Manus, linen and personal shower for seventy-five guests; Mesdames N. Ryant and H. Posluns, kitchen shower; Mrs. A. Manus, St. Urbain Street, bridge; Mrs. J. Abrams, Mount Royal Avenue, five tables of bridge; Young Girls Sewing Circle, theatre party and tea at the Cosy Grill; and Mrs. H. Posluns, Park Avenue, three tables of bridge. Misses Ida and Sally Manus, St. Urbain Street, gave a pyjama party, Saturday, February 13, in honour of Miss Kate Posluns. Misses Clara Moscovitch, Jean Segal, Tillie and Bella Manus, Ruth Manus, Rose Gordon, Rose Shmilovitch, Molly Gwartz, Bella Press and Miss Press were there.

Mrs. J. Cooke and Miss Molly Sobie were joint hostesses at a bridge at the former's home, 3763 Clarke Street, Sunday, February 12, with Miss Jennie Ruderman, a bride-elect of March 18, as honoree. Prize-winners were Mesdames B. Gold, L. Geffin, L. Levine, L. Rosenberg and J. Harris. The guest of honour was presented with a jewel case. Mesdames B. Gold, I. Harris, J. Rosenberg, M. Gitnick, L. Geffin, H. Bondroff, H. Golstein, Finestone, Rabinovitch, J. Ruderman, H. Dubin, Forman and Lande, and Misses Gold, Lottie Levine, Rose Rothblatt, Jennie Smilovitz, Ida Dubrofsky, Mary Barash, Sarah Ruderman and Ida Urman were there.

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Mrs. M. Lazarovitch announces the engagement of her youngest daughter, Dora, to Penny Pleet, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Pleet, of Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shepherd announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Ann, to Joseph R. Cooperman, of New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Kessler announce the engagement of their daughter, Elsie, to Irving Freedman, son of Mrs. M. Freedman and the late Mr. Freedman.

Henry Levitt announces the engagement of his daughter, Rena Beatrice, to Mort A. Kaminsky, son of Mrs. R. Kaminsky.

APPROACHING MARRIAGES

The marriage of Luba, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Kahan, to Dr. Moe Kolber, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Kolber, takes place March 11 at the Mount Royal Hotel.

The marriage of Jennie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ruderman, to Joe Soloducho, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Soloducho, of Athol, Mass., takes place March 18.

The marriage of Miss Mattye Finestone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Finestone, to Max Greenstein, son of Mrs. S. Greenstein, will be solemnized at Shaare Zion Synagogue, March 11, Rabbi Berger officiating. Reception at the Hoffbrau.

WEDDINGS

Manus–Posluns

The marriage of Miss Kate Posluns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Posluns, to Irving Manus, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Manus, was solemnized Sunday, February 19, at Bnai Jacob Synagogue. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a white georgette beaded gown. Her veil of net and lace was arranged in cap effect with clusters of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses and lilies-of-the-valley. Miss Ida Manus, sister of the groom, as maid of honour, wore a gown of blue taffeta and silver lace. She carried a bouquet of American Beauties. Harry Rosenberg was best man. The bridesmaids were Misses Sally Manus, in pink taffeta trimmed with French flowers; Molly Gwartz, in pink georgette and silver lace; Bella Manus, green taffeta; Lily Manus, peach colour taffeta trimmed with velvet and French flowers; Clara Moscovitch, pink georgette; and Jean Segal, mauve georgette trimmed with satin ribbon. They all carried Ophelia roses. Groomsmen were Hymie Rohrlick, Dan Posluns, Mr. Abrahams, Dave Miller, Willie Joseph and Hymie Leonard. The flower girls were: Gertrude Silverstein, in a frock of maize colour georgette; Ida Brownstein, pink georgette, and Shirley Posluns, pink georgette. Their dresses were trimmed with ribbons and lace, and they carried baskets of roses. Solly Silverstein was page boy and wore a tuxedo. Mrs. J. Posluns, mother of the bride, wore a gown of black georgette and lace trimmed with gold; Mrs. A. Manus, mother of the groom, black georgette trimmed with gold sequins, both with corsages of American Beauties. Mrs. H. Posluns, sister-in-law of the bride, was in a green chiffon velvet and silver lace gown. Following the ceremony, a reception was held for 350 guests. The out-of-town guests were Mrs. I. Posluns, Mrs. S. Bernstein and son, Irving; Mr. and Mrs. J. Posluns and daughter, Helen; Mrs. H. Steinberg, A. Posluns, Miss Anna Wasserman, Mr. and Mrs. Wornovitz, Mr. and Mrs. G. Gwartzman and Mrs. H. Shendleman, all of Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Irving Manus will live on Querbes Avenue.

Leibovitch–Phillips

The marriage of Miss Fay Phillips, daughter of Mrs. R. Phillips, to Hyman Leibovitch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leibovitch, was solemnized Sunday, February 19, at Beth Jehuda Synagogue, Cantor Levinsky officiating. The bride, who was given away by her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. N. Frank, wore a white crepe romaine dress beaded. Her veil of net fell from a crown of silk lace and diamente. She carried white roses, lilies and lilies-of-the-valley. Miss Hattie Shmilovitch, maid of honour, in a white crepe romaine dress trimmed with silver beads and lace, also wore a headdress of silver and carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses and lilies-of-the-valley. Abe Leibovitch, brother of the groom, was best man. The bridesmaids were Misses Mary Scharf, in pale blue taffeta in bouffant style; Ida Scutelsky, pink taffeta with bodice of silver cloth and skirt of taffeta frills; Mary Bremner, pale pink taffeta; and Goldie Vineberg, pale pink net dress, bodice of georgette and skirt made of frills. They all carried bouquets of Ophelia roses. The groomsmen were Irving Shmilovitch, Joe Bernard, Louis Berhoult and Max Segal. Nettie Frank, flower girl, wore a frock of pale pink and lavender georgette and carried a basket of roses. The train-bearers were Goldie Frank in a flowered ninon frock and Rose Vineberg in pale pink georgette. Mrs. N. Frank, sister of the bride, wore a fawn colour crepe romaine dress embroidered in gold. Mrs. Joseph Leibovitch, mother of the groom, wore a black transparent velvet gown trimmed with rhinestones. A reception for 300 guests was held. From out of town were Mr. and Mrs. M. Crystal, of Pittsburg Penn.; Mr. and Mrs. L. Shmilovitch and Mr. and Mrs. D. Shmilovitch, of New York. Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Leibovitch will live on Colonial Avenue.

Lerner–Berson

The marriage of Miss Sara Berson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Berson, to Samuel Lerner, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Lerner, of Quebec, was solemnized Sunday, February 19, at the Lewis Reception Rooms, Rabbi Berger officiating. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore ivory satin trimmed with French lace. Her veil of silk net was arranged with a cap of French lace and clusters of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses and lilies-of-the-valley. Miss Fanny Berson, sister of the bride, and maid of honour, wore a peach colour taffeta dress trimmed with orchid velvet and French flowers. She carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses. Mrs. E. Berson, mother of the bride, wore black georgette and velvet embroidered, and a black satin hat. Mrs. L. Lerner, mother of the groom,

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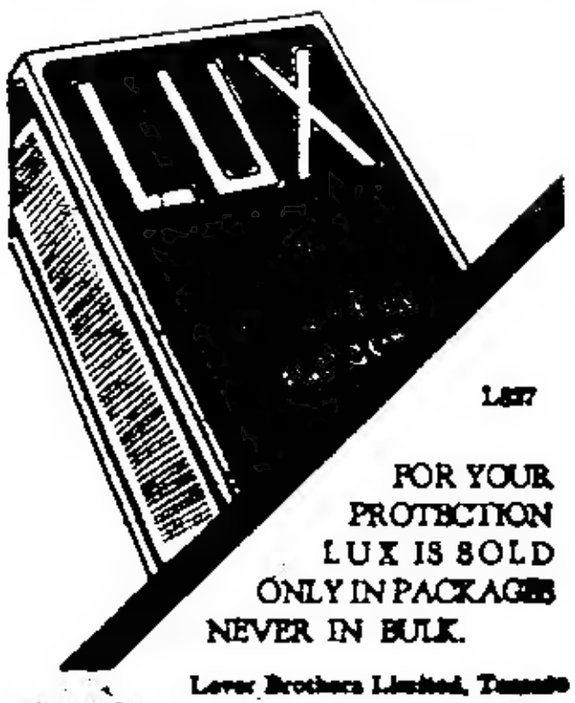

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was in a black sequins gown with hat to match. They also wore corsages of American Beauties. Miss Essie Berson, sister of the bride, wore a pale pink georgette dress with French flowers. A reception was held for seventy-five guests, those from out of town being Mr. and Mrs. J. Schwartzbard and D. Ortenberg, both of Quebec; and Nathan Berson and Miss Celia Berson, of New York. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lerner are spending their honeymoon in New York and Atlantic City. Going away the bride wore a grey crepe romaine dress trimmed with shell-pink georgette, a grey felt and straw hat, and a black needlepoint coat trimmed with squirrel. They will live in The Chateau, St. Louis Apartments, Quebec City.

ENTERTAINMENTS FOR BRIDES-ELECT

Misses Muriel Cukoff, Myrtle Jakin and Kitty Bookman were hostesses, February 19, at a personal shower given in honour of Miss Kitty Strolovitch, whose marriage to Michael Yanofsky takes place March 4. Those present were Misses Mary Tinkler, Rae Tinkler, Lilyan Jakin, May Sherman, R. Ganofsky, Gertie Minsky, Rose White, Jessie Dalzil, Tillie Wilson, Lily Nisenson, Tillie Zarakoff, Weiss, Fannie Myerson, Ann Kosloff, Ethel Rothpan, Paul, Salofsky, Grossman, Clara Strolovitch, Kitty Strolovitch and Mesdames R. Linden, W. Strolovitch, J. Jakin, H. Cukoff, Rappoport, Barnes, M. Strolovitch, J. Rothpan.

Mesdames J. Strolovitch, W. Strolovitch and Zaracoff were hostesses at a linen shower for Miss Strolovitch at Miller's Restaurant February 12. Mesdames Malcoff and Singer gave a miscellaneous shower for Miss Strolovitch at Miller's Restaurant, January 22.

Mrs. Robert Lightstone, Strathcona Avenue, was hostess at a crystal shower, February 14, as a courtesy to Miss Libbie Adelstein, a bride-elect of March 7. Guests were Mesdames M. Adelstein, A. S. Cohen, M. H. Gross, P. Adelstein, C. Bernfeld, H. M. Adelstein, Max Bernfeld, Jack Schecter, O. Ornstein, L. Adelstein, N. Fickler, J. L. Adelstein, J. Rosenberg, B. Marks, B. Hyams, David Ballon, N. Solomon, S. Feldman, Rosen, S. Colle, Leventhal, and Misses Evelyn Fickler, Nettie Adelstein, Jennie Block, Annie Fickler, Rose Block, Anne Marks, Ethel Block, Fanny Ratner, May Lightstone, Gertrude Bazar, Yetta Cooper and Clara Greenberg.

Mrs. Peter Solomon, Oliver Avenue, gave a handkerchief shower, February 15, in compliment to Miss Libbie Adelstein, a bride-elect of March 7. Mesdames M. Adelstein, C. Bernfeld, M. Bernfeld, J. Schecter, Robert Lightstone, Ben Marks, Adolph Gardner, Friedman, S. Feldman, M. Joseph and Misses Nettie Adelstein, Jennie Block and Clara Greenberg were there. Mrs. J. Schecter, Bernard Avenue, entertained at a kitchen shower, bridge and mah jongg February 19, in the Blue Room of the Windsor Hotel with Miss Adelstein as honoree. Guests were Mesdames M. Adelstein, Ben Marks, M. Gasco, C. Rudolph, J. Kauffman, R. Lightstone, I. Schecter, L. Handelman, A. Herscovici, M. Morris, C. Bernfeld, J. Leventhal, H. Shapiro, I. Shapiro, M. Notkin, H. Grover, H. Cohen, D. Fitch, S. Guttman, Ornstein, Michlin, Max Bernfeld, Leo Feldman, A. Shacter, M. Schaffer, and Misses Anne Marks, Rae Cohen, Estelle Bernfeld, Nettie Adelstein, Anna and Brana Fitch, Sophie Fitch.

Miss Sarah Rombach, Mance Street, entertained Sunday, February 19, at a china shower and seven tables of bridge in honour of Miss Ida Stubina, whose marriage to Dr. Joseph Pollock takes place March 25. Prizes were won by Mrs. W. J. Gliserman, Misses Eva Bindman, Lily Arbess, Jane Bress, Florence Denenberg, Dorothy Bramson, Flora Leffel. Guests present were Mesdames N. Rombach, J. J. Stubina, M. Greenberg, J. Greenberg, W. J. Gliserman and Dave Lank, of New York; and Misses Evelyn Friedman, Mary Goldblatt, Jennie and Bertha Bernstein, Lily Seigel, Rose Gussman, Esther, Eva and Rae Bindman, Lillian Schwartz, Jane Bress, Fred Negru, Irene Leckner, Ethel Engel, Dorothey Bramson, Alys Rasminsky, Sarah, Rose and Esther Pollock, Lily Arbess, Flora Leffell, Lily Cohen, Flora Denenberg. Miss Evelyn Freedman assisted in serving. Miss Stubina was presented with a china tea set.

Miss Bella Segal, Jeanne Mance Street, was hostess at a kitchen shower, bridge and mah jongg Sunday, February 19, in honour of Miss Pearl Josephson, a bride-elect of March 15. Mesdames M. Gillitz, A. Moonis, J. Gillitz, S. Corn, A. Shapiro, E. Issenman, M. Weisman, B. Pascal, A. Genser, J. Corn, M. Segal, and Misses Annie Herscovitch, Mable Corn, Cecile Efros, Louisa Boldman, Hattie Josephson, Gertie Josephson, Bella Riven, Minnie Marsel, Jennie Kisen, Bessie Riven, Freda Kishner, R. Rigler, Minnie Abramovitch, Lilly Beer, Sara Feen, Pearl Genser, Mollie and Lillie Stein, L. Rosen, Bee Segal, Esther Segal, Ethel Segal and Libbie Magalnick were at the party.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Livshitz were hosts at a dinner of thirty-five covers, in honour of the engagement of their daughter, Ida, to Hyman Naimer. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. A. Naimer, Mrs. M. Naimer, S. Livshitz, Mr. and Mrs. L. Backman, Rev. Nossen, Cantor Rabinovitch, J. Matz, Mr. and Mrs. R. Enkin, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gussman, Mr. and Mrs. M. Samuels, Mr. and Mrs. H. Rudy, Misses Dorothy Jasper, Rose Gussman, Lillian Sherwin, Miss Naimer and Miss M. Garfield, and A. Naimer, J. Naimer, B. Livshitz, M. Claiman, L. Naimer, H. Naimer, S. Myers, B. Rabinovitch and Mrs. S. Warshaw, of Philadelphia.

BORN

To Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Michaels, of Liverpool, England, February 13, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. David Perlo, 416 Harvard Avenue, Saturday, February 18, at the Royal Victoria Maternity Hospital, a daughter.

February 14, at Ross Memorial Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. S. Herscovitch, 2571 Hutchison Street, a daughter.

February 14, at the Royal Victoria Maternity Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs Arthur A. Rohrlich, 4824 Park Avenue, a son.

February 14, at Royal Victoria Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kiermyer, 267 Durocher Avenue, a son.

At the Royal Victoria Maternity Hospital, February 15, to Mr. and Mrs. T. Herscovitch (née Fanny Zabitsky), a daughter.

WEDDING

Blumer—Liederman

The marriage of Miss Theodora Liederman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Liederman, to Irving Saul Blumer was solemnized Thursday, February 16, at Bnai Jacob Synagogue, Rabbi Wachtfogel officiating. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a gown of ivory satin with a rhinestone buckle. Her veil of silk net was arranged in crown effect with orange blossoms and she carried a shower bouquet of roses and lilies-of-the-valley. Miss Nancy Jeffay was maid-of-honour and wore a green georgette dress with a cluster of French sweet peas at the shoulder. She carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses. Dave Shalinsky was best man. The bridesmaids were Misses Ida Shalinsky, in pink satin with overdress of tulle; Libbie Gelgoot, green tulle and metallic; Celia Blaukoph, pink georgette dress; Luba Kahan, yellow satin and black lace; and Etta Rappaport, yellow georgette. They all carried American Beauties. Groomsmen were Dave Rutenberg, Dr. Moe Kolber, H. Lohman, Abe Levine and Joe Lang. The flower girl, Ettie Schwiseman, wore a frock of pink georgette and carried a basket of rose petals. The train-bearers were Phyllis Shalinsky, in a pink georgette frock trimmed with powder blue; and Goldie Blaukoph in a yellow satin frock. Mrs. J. Liederman, mother of the bride, was in brown satin with a corsage of American Beauties. Mrs. J. Shalinsky, aunt of the groom, wore a black georgette and lace dress with rhinestone buckle and a corsage of American Beauties. 250 guests were received. Mr. and Mrs. Irving Saul Blumer will live in New York.

Dr. Pinchas Kohn, the president of the Agudath Israel, arrived in Palestine for the purpose of aiding in the formation of the separatist orthodox communities in accordance with the new communities law.

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Sermon, Friday evening, February 24, "The Right to be Happy," reflections on Mrs. Bertrand Russell's book. Sermonette, Saturday morning, in the Lecture Hall, on the Torah Reading for the Sabbath. George M. Brewer, organist and choirmaster, will give the musical service. Sabbath Purim tea in the Temple House Saturday afternoon, March 3. Study Circle met Wednesday morning, February 22. "The Jews in Russia and Poland" was discussed. Brotherhood dinner meeting Monday evening, February 27. John MacMillan will speak. Educational Committee of the Brotherhood gave a tea for the Jewish Students of McGill University Sunday afternoon, February 19. Dr. Lyon Bercovitch, chairman, spoke. Rabbi Stern welcomed the students on behalf of the congregation. Leo Edel, president of the Maccabaean Circle, spoke. Miss Marjorie Neumann welcomed the ladies on behalf of Temple Centre. Guests present were: Misses Dorothy Bloomfield, Fanny Roman, Dorothy Vosberg, Betty Samuelsohn, Alice Goldstein, Helene Simon, Sybil Glickman, Nettie Klineberg, Pauline Jacks, Dorothy Fraid, Brenda Joseph, Lillian Wexler, Sylvia Cohen, Zonia Sloan, Muriel Smith, Chubbie Darwin, Cecilia Sinclair, Evelyn Miller, Frances Asch, Jean Rabinovitch, Ethel Cohen, Dorothy Jacks, Jeanette Silverman, Marjorie Neumann, Janet Alfandri, Lily Cohen and Helen Schachter, and Rabbi Stern, Max Kaufman, John Kuppenheimer, Hilliard Ginsberg, Morton Mendels, Isidore Cohen, Meyer Ein, Leo Gelfand, Saul Hayes, Jack Klineberg, Solly Marcus, Charles Hyman, Abraham Edel, Neil Edel, Cyril Rill, Philip Shepps, Jack Seller, Bert Katz, M. Golfman, Dave Sherman, Jack Kaufman, Hyman Shapiro, Harold Shenkman, Walter Lyons, H. Kirschberg, Bram Rose, Lionel Rubin, Bernie Waltor, Charles Rothschild, Howard Lewinsohn, Laurie Friedman, Dave Abrahamson and Jimmie Solomon.

Felix L. Lewis addressed the Assembly last Sunday. Arthur Jacobs presented the moral lesson on "The Meaning of Israel." Phyllis Lewis and Kenneth Van Guen played the piano. A Purim party will be given to the children of the Religious School Sunday, March 4, between 5.30 and 9. Supper will be served by the Sisterhood. Entertainment. Those wishing to donate books to the Religious School Library communicate with the Temple office.

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Shaar Hashomayim, Rabbi Herman Abramowitz, Côté St. Antoine Road, corner Kensington.

Young People's Society met Wednesday, February 22, in the Community Hall. Michael Garber spoke on the Jewish School Question. Discussions. Parents' Association meets in the Women's Auxiliary Assembly Hall, Monday evening, February 27. Professor E. N Best, of the Educational Department of McGill, will speak on "The Chief Business of a Parent."

Shaare Zion Congregation, Claremont Avenue, below Sherbrooke Street. Rabbi Julius Berger

Sisterhood meets Tuesday afternoon, February 28, at Mrs. H. Sperber's home, 5010 Sherbrooke Street. Dr. Norman Vineberg, guest speaker, and Miss Dolly Caplin, recitation. Sewing Circle meets Monday and Thursday evenings at Mrs. Radovsky's home. Lamp shades and cushions have been made. Mrs. D. Cummings donated a French boudoir jewel case, which will be raffled at the miscellaneous sale, March 20, at Victoria Hall. Mrs. B. Rutenberg received donations from A. J. Alexandor, Moe Albert, J. Albert, J. Rosenthal and Mr. Naimer.

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Young People's Society meets February 27. Lyon W. Jacobs will speak.

BOARD MEETING

Ladies Bikur Choilim Society held a board meeting at the home of Mrs. L. Spivack, 1216 Lajoie Avenue, February 14. Three prizes, donated by Mrs. Richstone, were auctioned and sold to Mrs. L. Spivack for $3.50. A pair of crochet hangers, donated by Mrs. D. Klapper, were won by Mrs. M. Lefkowitz. Tea money netted $5.25. Donations as follows through Mrs. L. Spivack from Mrs. D. Letofsky, $3; through Mrs. J. Goldman from Mrs. Maldofsky, through Mrs. A. Grief from the Voluntary Aid Club, $3.

DUFFERIN EDUCATIONAL SOCIETY

A mock parliament, under the auspices of the Dufferin Educational Society, will be held in the grill room of the Mount Royal Hotel, Sunday, February 26, at 8.15 p.m. Mrs. Rose Henderson and Lyon W. Jacobs will speak on "Companionate Marriage"; Louis Glazer and So lWeber on "Immigration"; Ben Wall and Charles Wolfson, "That Single Men be Debarred from Holding Positions"; Joseph Bronstein, "Capital Punishment." Delegations will present themselves for causes in the interests of humanity. Programme: Madam Olga Leiber, pianist, Joseph Glazer, soloist, and Harry Ivry, violinist. Information from Miss Sarah Miller, Walnut 5433W

BOOK CLUB ACTIVITIES

S. B. Haltrecht spoke on Upton Sinclair's book, "Oil," Monday evening, February 13, at the Reading Circle of the Baron de Hirsch Book Club. Book Club held their open literary monthly meeting in the form of a symposium Sunday evening, February 12, at the Institute. "What shall we do to promote the progress and development of Jewish intellectual life in our community?" was discussed. Guests were: A. Cornfeld, of Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue; Adolph Gardner and A. J. Livinson. The regular monthly meetings of the Law and Civic Circle will be held Monday evening, February 13, at the Institute. Monday evening, February 27, in the library of the Institute, Louis Glazer will review the book, "Elmer Gantry." Meetings and lectures open to the public free of charge. Information from the secretary, Miss Sarah Miller, Apartment 10, 5069 Sherbrooke Street West, Walnut 5433W, Ma. 2930. A concert was held Sunday afternoon, February 19, for the patients of Mount Sinai Sanatorium at St. Agathe Des Monts, under the auspices of the Book Club. Committee: Harry Block, convener; J. Randolph, A. J. Livinson and L. Gittleson. Programme of songs, piano numbers, monologues, readings and travel talks. Harry Gardner thanked the participants.

UNITED PALESTINE CAMPAIGN BANQUET

The Dominion Chairmen of the United Palestine Campaign for one-half million dollars, Abraham Levin and Robert A. Darwin, will be the guests of honour at a banquet given Sunday evening at the Mount Royal Hotel by the Zionist Order of Habonim. This is the first preliminary step in the launching of the United Palestine Campaign, which is to be inaugurated in Montreal, March 18, with Mrs. A. J. Freiman, Dominion President of Canadian Hadassah and one of the Dominion chairmen of the Campaign, and Dr. Schmarya Levin, Zionist leader, as guest speakers. The objective of the campaign will cover the annual contribution of $200,000 to Keren Hayesod (Palestine Foundation Fund), which is responsible for the upkeep of Zionist activity in Palestine; and $300,000 towards the redemption of the Plain of Sharon. Montreal is expected to contribute some $250,000 towards the one-half million dollar quota. Dr. Benzion Mossinson, Palestinian scholar and principal of the first Hebrew gymnasium in Palestine, the Herzlia gymnasium in Tel Aviv, will be the guest speaker.

ONTARIO ZIONISTS HOLD MEETINGS

Mrs. S. Kahn, of Montreal, Dominion vice-president of Canadian Hadassah for the Eastern Division, has returned from a tour of Ontario. Mrs. Kahn visited London, Windsor, Toronto and Kingston, where she met and spoke to Hadassah leaders, both senior and junior. In London, Mrs. Kahn, together with Mrs. D. Dunkelman, Dominion vice-president of Canadian Hadassah for the Central Division, were guest speakers at a banquet given by the Hadassah Chapter to celebrate their tenth anniversary. Mrs. William Leff, president of London Hadassah, presided, and Mrs. I. Goldstick, corresponding and financial secretary of London Hadassah, gave a report of the year's activities. The following day Mrs. Kahn addressed a meeting of Hadassah in the Talmud Torah, and the same evening she met Junior London Hadassah and the Young Judaeans. Miss Ruth Leff presided and Hyman Grace was spokesman for Young Judaea. In Windsor Mrs. Kahn addressed the Lillian Freiman and the Miriam Chapters of Hadassah. Mrs. Packer, vice-president of the Lillian Freiman Chapter, presided in the absence of Mrs. D. Meretzky, the president. In the evening Mrs. Kahn was the guest-speaker at a meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of Bnai Brith, of Windsor. Mrs. Levine presided. A bazaar is planned for May 15 and 16. The same evening the Montreal Hadassah leader met Junior Hadassah with Miss Rae Gershon, the president, in the chair. In Kingston Mrs. Kahn organized the Hadassah Mascots, with Miss Kate Ryan as the president of the new junior chapter. Mrs. Kahn also met the members of Queen Esther and Kingston Chapters of Hadassah. Joint bazaar the end of April. Mrs. Ben Finkle and Mrs. D. Ryan were appointed conveners. A meeting of both Zionist and Hadassah members was held in Garden Hall, Moses Abramsky, presiding.

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Evzer Kahan et al., sold to Mrs. Arthur Magnan lot No. 44-33, City of Outremont, measuring 38 by 100 feet, with buildings bearing the civic No. 744, fronting on Hartland Avenue, for $11,500.

Mrs. Moses Klein sold to Abraham Klein rights in lots Nos. 403-577, 578, Mercier ward, without buildings and fronting on Bernard Boulevard, for $200 and other considerations.

Mrs. Moses Klein sold to Mrs. Abraham Klein lot No. 330-4, St. Denis ward, measuring 26 by 100 feet, with buildings bearing the civic Nos. 729 to 731, fronting on Mount Royal Avenue, for $22,500 and other good considerations.

Mrs. Abraham Klein sold to Mrs. Moses Klein lots Nos. 12-349, 350, Delorimier ward, measuring 50 by 100 feet, with buildings fronting on Chausse Street, for $17,000.

Gage Investment, Inc., sold to Abraham Kadish lots Nos. 174-362, 363, Notre Dame de Grace ward, without buildings and fronting on Sherbrooke Street, for $1.00 and other good considerations.

Barnet D. Adelman sold to Henri Lachapelle lot No. 637-731, town of Mount Royal measuring 24 by 88 feet, with buildings bearing the civic Nos. 401, 403, fronting on Abraham Avenue, for $6,750.

Harry Berlin sold to Barnett Chaznow lot No. 137-147, Laurier ward, measuring 42½ by 87½ feet, with buildings bearing the civic Nos. 4617 to 4621, fronting on DeBullion Street, for $5,000.

Joseph Zatz sold to Leib Brandes lot No. 137-37, Laurier ward, measuring 42½ by 87½ feet, with buildings bearing the civic Nos. 4636 to 4644, fronting on Colonial Avenue, for $10,850.

Tobias Simmerman sold to Usher Seidman Lot No. 14-97, Laurier ward, measuring 25 by 100 feet, with buildings bearing the civic Nos. 4679 to 4683, fronting on Jeanne Mance Street, for $12,500.

Joseph N. Dubrule sold to Wexler Realties, Ltd., lots Nos. 47-1, 2, part 3, Laurier ward, measuring 55 by 113 feet, with buildings bearing the civic Nos. 15, 17, fronting on Mount Royal Avenue West, for $85,000.

C. Edouard Belanger sold to Abraham Hutkin Lot No. 92, south half of 91, Laurier ward, measuring 84½ feet in front, with buildings bearing the civic Nos. 4881 to 4889, fronting on St. Lawrence Boulevard, for $26,000.

Tobias Simmerman sold to John Sigal Lot No. 14-100, Laurier ward, measuring 25 by 100 feet, with buildings, bearing the civic Nos. 4697 to 4701, fronting on Jeanne Mance Street, for $12,500.

Tobias Simmerman sold to Isaac Handelman Lot No. 14-99, Laurier ward, measuring 25 by 100 feet, with buildings bearing the civic Nos. 4691 to 4695, fronting on Jeanne Mance Street, for $12,500.

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TEMPLE EMANU-EL HOST TO JEWISH STUDENTS

The Jewish students of McGill University were guests of the Brotherhood of Emanu-El at a tea last Sunday. And it was a most delightful afternoon. For once the fraternity and sorority divisions and labels were forgotten and the students met as fellow-Jews—all members of the greatest and oldest fraternity—"Israel." And we are indeed happy that such a conclave took place! What boots it if a man belongs to the Z.B.T. or Pi Lambda Phi? What really interests us is whether the Jewish University student thinks in terms of Jew-life and Jewish present day experiences. Certainly the future leadership depends upon the Jewish college youth. Synagogues and temples must do much to attract the university youth to "Yiddishkeit." Synagogues have much to atone for in ignoring the Jewish college youth. The youth who attends the university and delves into science and modern thought can no longer be at home in "Ghettoism." He wants a living, dynamic Judaism. The synagogue needs the Jewish youth and the Jewish youth needs the synagogue. And Israel needs both.

OUR MAIL

Time and again most interesting correspondence reaches our desk from Jews and non-Jews. We hesitate to publish same for many reasons. But the following note of appreciation, written to us in care of the Rev. William Johnston, of St. Lambert, United Church, is unique: "I have just returned to my home from a meeting in St. Lambert United Church, at which you spoke to us. And as I walked home, something of the wonder and beauty and joy of it came to me, and I found myself wanting to write to you and thank you for the way you have made me feel to-night. For as I listened my heart seemed to grow bigger, and a wonderful peace crept into my heart and into my soul, the peace that comes of understanding and love. Though I have heard many beautiful sermons that made my heart feel full of joy and love, I never listened to one that made me feel so close to my fellow-men, that made my fellow-men seem to dear to me, that made me feel as though I wanted to link hands with every one of them in one great fellowship, and march forward in the greatest cause of all, that of making the world a brighter, happier, better place to live in, that of making the world God's kingdom on earth. I feel as though the whole pathway of my life were broadened, as though the hedges had been cut down, and a great light shines upon the road, and leads me to greater and better things. And so I want to thank you, and oh, dear friend, the thanks come from the depths of my heart, the depths where I pray God to dwell. God, my Father and yours! That is the best part of it all. That is what makes me so happy to-night.

"My heart unites with yours to-night in the confident hope that God's people are at last realizing that they are all children of the same Father and all journeying toward the same goal, all seeking the same thing, and that the only way to find it is to unite in happy fellowship, one with the other and each and every one, and live as God would have them live, doing justly, loving mercy, and walking humbly with Him.

"One whom you have greatly helped."

AMBASSADOR TO THE GOYIM

And after reading the above missive we are more convinced than ever that one of the splendid functions of the modern rabbi is to iuterpret Jew and Judaism to the non-Jewish community. Of conrse, there are still those among us who out of prejudice and ignorance cannot and will not attempt to see what good it does for a rabbi to speak to a non-Jewish audience. But we who have been in the battle for Jew and Jewish rights know better.

MOVE TO PROHIBIT SHECHITAH IN WARSAW

The City Council of Warsaw is now considering a proposition to prohibit the Jewish method of slaughtering animals in that city. It is claimed by Jewish leaders that this is primarily an election stunt and a means of ousting Jews from the meat trade in the Polish capital. The matter was first presented at a meeting of the budget committee, and the measure to prohibit Shechitah was introduced by Dr. Zawadski, a physician of Jewish descent, who has been affiliated with the National Democratic Party. The committee adopted the measure, in spite of the protests made by the Jewish members of the committee. The press then took up the matter and several organizations, like the National Organization of Polish Women and the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, immediately began a nation-wide agitation in favour of the bill. When it was presented to a full session of the Council, the resolution was modified to apply only to animals slaughtered for non-Jewish consumption and a committee of seven, including also one Jew, was appointed to inquire into the matter and to bring in a report to the Council.

The Austrian Skiing Society has decided to exclude Jews from its membership.

THE PRESENT-DAY JEWISH WEDDING CEREMONY

Liberal Jews have often been spoken of as assimilationists because they "took in" certain non-Jewish customs in their ritual. But what about Orthodox Jews being classed as assimilationists? One need only look at the Jewish wedding ceremony as practiced and conducted by so-called Orthodox rabbis and observe how much of non-Jewish custom enters therein. Certainly, the Schulchan Aruch does not prescribe a long black robe for the rabbi when he is to officiate at the Chupah. Where in the Jewish code is to be found the regulation for ushers, bridesmaids, and maids-of-honour and the wedding march and the hackneyed "Oh Promise Me?" There is, indeed, too much of the theatrical setting in present-day Jewish weddings. And we admire what an eminent rabbi wrote recently along this line pointing out modern Jewish wedding incongruities. "There is the mother, sometimes dressed in the latest style, which means that her arms and a large part of the goodly shoulders are exposed, very much against Orthodox Rabbinic Law, which prohibits such exposition, insisting that the rabbi, at least, shall wear a hat for the ceremony!—The hat is the essence of religion." What's the matter with orthodoxy, is it tending toward assimilation?

YOUNG JUDAEA ESSAYS

Collected by Miss Trnima Littner

Editor's Note.—From time to time the CANADIAN JEWISH REVIEW will publish essays written by Young Judaeans and selected by group leaders for Miss Littner's attention. Any young Judaean is welcome to contribute to this page on any subject that comes under his or her work in the organisation.

PRELUDE TO THE SPANISH INQUISITION

By Maurice Levine and Mesulam Littner, Bialik Circle
Dr. Zimmerman, Leader

List of Characters:

Torquemado—The High Inquisitor.

Fra Salvor and Fra Dimono—Two Assistant Inquisitors.

Ferdinand—King of Spain.

Isabella—Queen of Spain.

ACT I

Place—A room in the royal castle of Castile.

Time—Early in the year 1492.

(Curtain)

(Enter) Torquemado, accompanied by two priests, enters the room. He is met by a servant.

Servant: Will your Holinesses wait? Their Majesties, Ferdinand and Isabella, will soon be present.

Torquemado: We shall wait. It is a matter of supreme importance.

Servant (bowing and retiring): Very well, your Holiness.

(Torquemado and the priests seat themselves at a large table in the centre of the room.)

Torquemado (imperiously): It must be done this day. Their Royal Highnesses must be convinced. They must sign the edict. These accursed non-believing Jews must be exterminated for the sake of our religion and the glory of Christ.

Fra Salvor: It is indeed a holy task our Inquisition has undertaken; we must show little mercy; these Jews—they accept the religion of the mother church—outwardly; inwardly, they despise it and commit base sacrileges against our Saviour!

Fra Dimono: Yes, but will their Majesties assent to the plan of the Inquisition?

Torquemado: Leave the matter in my hands. Queen Isabella is half-convinced, King Ferdinand does not know his own mind. (Torquemado gazes cruelly from under his shaggy eyebrows, a veiled threat behind his words.)

Fra Domino: It is rumoured the King is not favourable to our plans.

Torquemado: It may be so. The Jews have money. Ferdinand needs money.

Fra Salvor: You must not fail! If you do, these vile Jews will gain control of our country, our lands and our homes. They will overrun and rule our sources of capital, they will force their way until at last they become our masters, and we—their slaves. They will drive out our religion and burn our churches, and will bring in their heathenish belief. For the good of our country, our religion and our God, they must die or accept and embrace the true faith.

Servant (entering): Their Royal Majesties Ferdinand and Isabella.

Torquemado: They come. It would be best to leave the matter with me alone. (Fra Salvor and Fra Domino leave the chamber just before their Majesties enter.)

(Their Majesties enter. Torquemado arises.)

Torquemado: Your Majesties, I have waited here to confer with you on an all-important matter.

Ferdinand: Is it over your proposal to expel the Jews from my kingdom?

Torquemado: It is, your Majesty.

Ferdinand: I will not have it. I——

Isabella (impatiently): Ferdinand, we must discuss the matter. It is not yet settled.

Torquemado: It surprises me that your majesties have been so lax of late with the Jews. Often I have warned you of them, yet you take little heed.

Ferdinand (reflectively): They do us no harm.

Torquemado (inflamed by these true words) (passionately): No harm! It is a sin, a sacrilege to allow them to live their vile lives in your kingdom.

Ferdinand (giving ground): And how is it so?

Torquemado: They despise Christ, They disrespect our Sabbath. They are secretly grasping the power and the wealth of the country. They are a menace to Christianity and to Spain.

Ferdinand (doubtfully): It is scarcely so. They are a help to my kingdom. You know that if it were not for the support of those two Jews, Abraham Senior and Isaac Abravanel, my campaign against Granada would have failed. They have offered me much financial support if I but leave their nation alone and in peace.

Torquemado (triumphantly): So that is the reason. (Lifting the crucifix that hung about his neck, high). Behold, the crucified whom the wicked Judas sold for thirty pieces of silver. If you approve of this, sell him for a greater sum. God shall be your judge.

Isabella (repeating): And yet the Jews are of value to us. It was but a month ago that our Jewish physician, Moses ben Arrana, saved the life of our child.

Torquemado: It is sorcery, witchcraft! With the aid of the evil one he and his brethren plot to gain control of you. Why do you not destroy them? Did they not slay our Saviour? Are you blind to the terrible sin you commit against God and Christ by harbouring them? These heretics and venomous reptiles spreading contagion with their very breath. The safety of the land requires their extermination.

Isabella (suddenly turned against her benefactors) (passionately): It is the truth you speak. We have been wrong in harbouring the Jews and must right this wrong. What course of action do you suggest?

Torquemado: Banish these heretics or make them accept Christianity! Torture them! To oppress these infidel Jews is kindness and piety. When they find that their disbelief brings them suffering, then they will fear Christ. Your Majesties will be doing a glorious deed, for he who guides another into the right path is great in the sight of the Lord. (Turning on Ferdinand.) A moment ago you were inspired by the love of Christ; has Satan forced his way to your soul?

Isabella (also turning on Ferdinand): For shame, Ferdinand, to have spoken as you did. Money is important, and these Jews have money, but is not the welfare of our religion far more important?

King Ferdinand (entirely convinced): It is indeed as you say. We shall leave the matter in your hands.

Torquemado: To expel these Jews, to force them to Christianity, necessitates a charter to enable us to accomplish this object.

Isabella: Torquemado, you shall have your edict before Ferdinand has time to change his mind.

Ferdinand: I shall not change my mind. I now see how wrong it is to put the affairs of the kingdom before the affairs of God.

Torquemado: You are doing a great service to your religion and your nation by exterminating these vile vermin.

Isabella: Yes, you shall this day receive a sealed document giving you full power to deal with them as you wish. You must convert this foul and stubborn race to the belief in the mother-church.

(They rise and leave.)

(Curtain descends.

WHAT'S CHAMISHO OSOR?

By SARAH CAPLAN
Junior Loyal Girls Club
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It is dates and figs, almonds, raisins and Johnny bread. It is the fifteenth of Shvot, the New Year for trees. Here the ground is frozen and covered with snow and the chilly wind sends a shiver through your body. There in blessed Palestine it is all different. There Nature is just beginning to put on her green spring garments.

Do you know what the trees are doing now for the New Palestine? Have you heard of the Herzl Forest and of the eucalyptus trees that are making Palestine an even finer, more beautiful and more healthful place to live in?

Chamisho Osor, the voice of Mother Zion summoning us back to the sacred soil from which we are sprung.

What is the commotion in the streets of Jerusalem? What is that long, almost endless procession? What is the meaning of these columns of boys and girls passing towards the outskirts of the city? They are all dressed in white with blue bands across their chests. There are fresh flowers in boys' buttonholes and the girls are crowned with gay wreaths.

It is the fifteenth of Shvot, not a shvot of Europe or America with its February winds and snow, with its freezing cold, with its stormy skies, but a shvot of Jerusalem of all Eretz-Israel. It is the New Year of the trees because between the Mediterranean and the Jordan, especially the Jordan and the Euphrates, the winter has come to an end at last, the rains and the hails have almost ceased. The sun has resumed its glorious dominion, the kindly winds announce the coming of spring, the trees are blossoming once more, the fragrance of myriads of wild flowers, daisies, lilies and anemones saturate the clear atmosphere.

This is why the city is rejoicing. This is why the young generation of rejuvenated Jerusalem is happy for they love the light and the sun, the warmth and verdure. For they love the light and sun the youth of their own growth and of their own destiny. As in years gone by before the destruction so now after the rebuilding of the whole of Palestine, all the schools of all degrees in the whole of Palestine send forth pupils by thousands under the leadership of the teachers over green fields or orchards heavy with fruit, over savage rocks or undulating dunes, to drink in the splendor of a happy and renewed Nature.

THE JEW IN MUSIC

By LILIAN SWARTZ
Nordia Circle

The development of music among the Israelites was coincident with that of the poetry, the two being equally ancient, since every poem was also sung.

In very early times music was used in connection with divine services. Family festivals of different kinds were celebrated with music, and youths coming together at the gates, entertained themselves with music.

The importance which music attained in the later exilic period is shown by the fact that in the original writings of Ezra and Nehemiah, a distinction is still drawn between the singers and the Levites, whereas in the parts of the books of Ezra and Nehemiah belonging to the Chronicles, singers are reckoned among the Levites.

Unfortunately few definite statements can be made concerning the kind and the degree of the artistic development of music and psalm singing. Only so much seems certain that the folk-music of older times, was replaced by professional music, which was learned by the families of singers who officiated in the Temple. At the dedication of the walls of Jerusalem, Nehemiah formed the Levitical singers into two large choruses which, after having marched around the city walls in different directions, stood opposite each other at the Temple and sang alternate hymns of praise to God.

It has been shown in the article Cantillation, that the desire to read the Scriptures has resulted in the use of some sort of musical declamation for passages uttered aloud in the synagogues. The Prayers and Praises equally with the lessons, have always been thus musically declaimed, and this declamation developing many lands under the influence of varying tonal surroundings through the long centuries, has gradually become extended into the vocal melody solo, or choral, in which the whole of the Traditional Services are now presented.

One of our greatest Jewish composers, Felix Mendelssohn, was born at Hambourg, Germany, on February 3, in the year 1809. Felix received his early musical education from Ludwig Berger on the piano, Zelter thorough bass and composition, and from Henning on the violin. At the age of eleven, he composed the "Cantata." On August 6, 1826, he finished his overture to "Ein Sommer Nachtstraum" (A Midsummer's Night's Dream). Mendelssohn's best productions are the oratorios, "Paullus," "Elias," the greatest works of their kind since Hayden. Mendelssohn died at Leipsic, November, 1849. Some of his works are: "Die Hockzeitdes Camacho," four symphonies, the symphony Cantata "Lobgisang," six concert overtures, chamber music, pianoforte and vocal compositions. Some of his unfinished operas were Loriled, Heimheker aus der Frimde, and several other unpublished operatic compositions.

MOSES HESS

By ESTHER BRONSTEIN
Nordia Circle
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Moses Hess, Jewish Socialist and Nationalist, who was born at Bonn, June 21, 1812, died in Paris, April 6, 1875, and was buried in the Jewish cemetery at Cologne, in France. His grandfather, who had come from Poland, instructed him in the Bible and the Talmud, but on the whole he was a self-taught man, having never attended any institution of learning nor received a thorough technical or professional education of any kind. However, he began his literary activity at an early age, and became editor of the leading papers of the country. Originally a National-Liberal, he became a Democrat and later a Social Democrat. Though he had already turned his back upon Judaism, Damascus affairs reawakened his interest in Jewish matters and he conceived the idea of the indestructibility of the Jewish Nationality. He intended to give form to this idea in the cry of anguish; but as he himself says, the stronger feelings aroused by the sufferings of the European lower classes, threw his racial patriotism into the background. However, he found little sympathy among his fellow socialists. Shortly after the February revolution of 1848 he went to France and soon after retired from politics, to devote himself exclusively to natural science. He was a writer of ability, being editor and himself the author of quite a number of books. The following are the leading ideas in his work:

1. The Jews will always remain strangers among the European peoples, who may emancipate them for reasons of humanity and justice, but will never respect them so long as the Jews place their own great national memories in the background and hold to the saying, "The custom of the land thus shall I do," forgetting their religious rites.

2. The Jewish type is indestructible and Jewish national feelings can not be uprooted, although the German Jews for the sake of a wider and more general emancipation persuade themselves and others to the contrary.

3. If the emancipation of the Jews is irreconcilable (cannot be made to conform) with Jewish nationality the Jews must sacrifice emancipation to nationality.

Hess considers that the only solution of the Jewish question lies in the colonization of Palestine.

Hess was one of the most zealous and gifted opponents of the reform

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every friday

A girl was once describing a wedding to the REVIEW. She was very enthusiastic. "It was a beautiful wedding," she said. "Not like a wedding at all." Several columns might be erected about the theme suggested, but Rabbi Gerson B. Levi, of the *Reform Advocate*, has done one so well let him be guest-writer for this *Shabbas*:

"And now they come, ushers and bridesmaids and maids of honour or what nots, all of them walking that silly jiggle on one foot that seems to be paralyzed in mid steps and shuffles and hesitates and makes sure of itself before it will venture out ahead of the other foot. The men look more than silly at that job. They feel silly and can hardly restrain the laugh if they catch the eye of anyone in the group of spectators—for that is what the group has now come to be. They stand relieved when they have finished the walk that no human walks in his right discretion. Then come the maids. Of course they are graceful. They are even more graceful in the modern dresses than they could have been in the days when dresses covered their hesitant limbs. But there they are, hesitating and jiggling. They recognize they are being watched. They know that every one is wishing that the whole line would move a little faster and be done with and so when they march these maids keep their eyes demurely afraid on the floor and march and jiggle and hesitate. Perhaps the spectators cannot see the sigh of relief and the deep breath that these maids take when the march is over and they know that they have done it without tripping themselves up in their jiggling and shuffling.

"And then the bride with her father. She of course must walk this walk better than did all the others. Her shuffle and jiggle must be more correct than that of the others. She must not look to the right or to the left. Over yards and yards of space she walks that walk. But she is at a disadvantage. At least the others in the procession walked and jiggled to suit themselves. No one was at their side to hurry or to mistime a step. She has her father, and he too must jiggle and shuffle and balance and drag and after all the effort and jiggling progress an inch. He is not used to that sort of a thing. At least he had not been practicing the bridal jiggle in front of a looking-glass for weeks and has not firmly imbedded in his masculine makeup this tradition of the feminine sacred walk of the marriage path. And perhaps while he tried to balance off on a foot that won't just tip toe along, he is thinking of the sensible way, that in days gone by, his bride walked in and he hurries a bit or forgets the jiggle and almost upsets the rhythmic drag of his daughter, and for a while along the linen way there is a stretch when father walks as if he really could walk and the daughter is trying to hold him back to the pace of one who is taking a lot of time going to the altar. And all this time the Rabbi is at the 'altar' waiting for the parade to end and to see the smile of satisfaction on the faces of all of the paraders upon the completion of their performance.

"And then there comes the poor singing of the hackneyed 'O Promise Me.' For a musical people, as we Jews are rated to be, it is surprising what songs we have on the glad occasion of a marriage—the hackneyed songs of other peoples. And by the time the marriage ceremony really begins there is the atmosphere of something fictitious and theatrical settling over everybody. The ceremony done, the hotel steward has decreed that the bride and groom must walk away somewhere. There is really no place to walk to, it is from one corner of the hall to another, or from the large room of the ceremony to some small side room where the air soon becomes stifling, but the pair must walk away, for was not that the way it was done in church. It would be a sin if they stayed right there where they were married and let their friends come up to them to congratulate them or to say the word of good wishes. No, they must walk away. Perhaps that symbolizes the procedure of the ancient marriage in which the groom snatched his bride and ran away with her, a captive. But whatever the symbolism here is the marriage procedure. It is the same in the highest of the high and in the simplest of the simple. The people may come and go, but the hotel stewards learn one from the other and all of them have the same tricks and give the same instruction. There must be a manual that these hotel stewards have learned by rote. Of course some of them add a few frills and keep edging up to the altar so as to be ready to lead the line of march out when the ceremony has just about ended.

"Some weddings in America have their own incongruities. There is the mother, sometimes dressed in the latest style, which means that her arms and a large part of the goodly shoulders (the adjectives can be transposed) are exposed very much against Orthodox Rabbinic law which prohibits such exposition, insisting that the Rabbi, at least, shall wear his hat for the ceremony—for him and for the ushers and groom Rabbinic law must prevail though it does not for her. The women have freed themselves from the further Rabbinic law and shake hands with the men or permit the men to shake hands with them, but they are very much put out when the hats are not in evidence. A woman sings the songs, although there is a rather harsh prohibition of such a thing in the statute of customs that includes also the wearing of a head covering by the men. It all goes to show how accommodating customs are. If the dressmakers decree that women, to be in style, must wear dresses that begin too low and end too high, that is when judged by Orthodox Rabbinic law, well who cares for Orthodoxy? The American customs and manner must prevail. But all of that does not touch the hat. The hat is the essence of religion. So sometimes the Rabbi stands waiting and sees the ushers come in with different sizes and angles of hats and the ushers look like a hack drivers' union, but the ancient sanctities have been kept.

"What next wedding will have the courage to arrange for a simple and dignified procession, a simple and natural walk, fresh music with appropriate words? The hotel stewards may object. It will be breaking all of their cherished plans, but may be even they will ultimately approve of the natural and reasonable. At least, let us hope so."

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Social Life in 1904— Do You Remember?—

Miss Florence Goldbloom, Winnipeg, won the diamond medal for elocution offered by the Royal Templars of Temperance. She recited "Cannot Be Legalized Without Sin." Of the four diamond medal contests held in Canada, Miss Goldbloom was the second Jewish winner, the first being Miss Flossie Finkelstein, of Winnipeg. An effort was being made in Winnipeg to raise the Russian immigrants "out of the rut of the Yiddish jargon." Rev. Dr. Bonnheim, J. J. Goodman, Max Finkelstein and H. A. Isaacs were teaching English two evenings a week. Emanuel Mark Guy, six-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman J. Cohn, died of bronchitis. Eighteen months prior the parents had lost their first child at the age of nine months. Freda Goldstein, of Montreal, widow of Nathan Goldstein, died in Montreal at the age of 92 years. The Jewish Sheltering Home was opened at 948 St. Lawrence Street, under the supervision of Louis Holstein, to take care of Russian immigrants. The building was fitted out at a cost of $700; 900 meals were served daily and sleeping accommodation arranged for 200. The cost per week was about $500. The kitchen was in charge of Z. Goldberg. The Montefiore Club donated twenty dozen pairs of mitts, and I. Friedman and L. H. Jacobs obtained about 200 pairs of trousers. Committee: L. Holstein, D. S. Friedman, Isaac Friedman, L. H. Jacobs, A. M. Bilsky, J. Goldstein, H. Keller, A. Goldstein, I. Rubenstein, H. Blumenthal, A. M. Vineberg. Norman Viner read a paper on "Benaiiah the Reprobate," a sketch of Jewish life in Roumania, before the Young People's Society of Shaar Hashomayim. The vote of thanks, moved by Harris Vineberg and seconded by E. W. Jacobs, made special mention of Mr. Viner's "exceptional mentality and his remarkably musical diction." Others on the programme were Miss Plouffe, piano solo; lecture, by Lyon Cohen, on "Sir Moses Montefiore"; songs, Miss Beccie Kellert. Nathan Tobias, of Ville Marie, Quebec, was in town. B. Isaacs, of St. John, N.B., was in town. Mrs. I. Blumenthal was convalescent after a long illness. Mr. and Mrs. Philip Myers, of Quebec, were in town. Miss Morris, Tupper Street, went to Toronto to visit. Miss Louise Silverstone was in Quebec visiting her sister, Mrs. Myers.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Adilman, Normandie Avenue, Hollywood, were the hosts at a formal dance given by them at Beverly Manor, Saturday evening, in honour of their daughter, Beryl. The decorations were carried out with baskets of flowers. Miss Adilman, who received with her parents, wore green flowered tulle, bouffant style, with tulle rosette shoulder trimming. Mrs. Adilman was gowned in a black and silver imported model gown, with Spanish shawl. Among those present were: Misses Ruth Arnovitch, Winnipeg, white taffeta, cerise velvet trimming; Rosetta Wasserman, Saskatoon, white chiffon, with silver lace; Sophie Zimmerman, flesh-coloured beaded chiffon; Malca Gordon, black taffeta, bouffant, silver and tulle trimming; Evelyn Robitaille, peach coloured georgette, feather trimming; Helen Schwartz, flame-coloured georgette, velvet trimming; Lillian Korn, flame-coloured georgette; Ethel Kay, yellow silk, bouffant; Yetta Finkelman, Winnipeg, flame-coloured velvet; Gertie Finkelman, Winnipeg, white satin; Nellie Enzer, orchid velvet; Bebe Dworkin, yellow beaded georgette; Phyllis Bishop, orchid georgette; Marjorie Rosen, orchid tulle over silk; Ethel Goldstein, pink chiffon; Sarah Marcus, green taffeta; Sarah Abrams, white taffeta trimmed in blue; Tessie Glickman, peach-coloured sequin gown; Muriel Glickman, Montreal, metallic cloth, silver trimming; Edith Tessler, Winnipeg, white embroidered chiffon; Verna Shragge, Kenora, tomato coloured georgette; Ida Goldring, peach georgette, with gold lace; Evelyn Walansky, gold tissue; Jeanette Ackerman, white tulle; Leonore Neuman, white georgette, silver trimming; Rose, Leon, rose tulle, black trimming; R. Simansky, white tulle, flower trimming; Eva Freedman, pink beaded chiffon; Evelyn Brand, white taffeta, bouffant; Bernice Collins, white georgette; Elanor Davidson, white satin, rhinestone trimming; Bessie Leon, tan lace; Edith Marcus, pink taffeta, bouffant; Sarah Ackerman, blue satin; the Misses Helen Arnovitch, Winnipeg, Elizabeth Goldman, Ethel Abrams; and Bernard Adilman, Jack Politzer, Morton Wolfson, Max Robin, Percy Goldstein, Herman Goldman, Ira Goldring, Hyman Isaacson, Sam Kaufman, Martin Fish, Max Cohen, Bernard Glickman, Sanford Wolfson, Mark Millman, Dr. Schwartz, Maurice Kerner, Archie Coppleman, Percy Zimmerman, Joe Glickman, Jimmie Levine, Phil Greenfeld.

Mrs. Greenebaum entertained at a luncheon bridge Monday in honour of Mrs. T. Glickman, of Montreal. Covers were laid for twelve.

Mr. and Mrs. Aron Block entertained with three tables of bridge Saturday evening.

Mr and Mrs. Wm. Aronson entertained with a theatre party, Wednesday evening, in honour of Mr. and Mrs. T. Glickman, Montreal.

Bernard Glickman has recovered from his recent operation.

Mrs. Morris Claman has returned from Vancouver and is making her home in Los Angeles.

Maurice and Arthur Kerner were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Balch on a motor trip to Lake Arrowhead.

W. Aronson has returned from Catalina Island.

A dinner dance and bridge was given at the Elks Club, Los Angeles, Saturday evening, February 11, by Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Freedman, formerly of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, commemorating their silver wedding anniversary. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. Firestone, Mr. and Mrs. M. Weill, Mr. and Mrs. Margolis, Mr. and Mrs. M. Wise, Mr. and Mrs. I. Gross, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Rose and Gershon Lieverson. Among the guests, formerly of Toronto, were Mr. and Mrs. Sol Greenfarb, Mr. and Mrs. David Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Rosen, Mr. and Mrs. Polcher. Among the Philadelphians present were Mr. and Mrs. Fevner, Mr. and Mrs. Heller, Miss Sydney Halbert and A. Charab. Mrs. Harry Freedman is the daughter of Mrs. A. Harris, of Montreal, and the Freedmans are niece and nephew of Mr. and Mrs. J. Gittleson and Mr. and Mrs. Kallman Smith.

Sherbrooke, Que.

Miss S. Green, of Coaticook, Que., is visiting Mrs. S. Caplan, Wellington Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kushner, formerly of Sherbrooke, now of Westmount, have left for an extended trip through Florida, Cuba, West Indies, for the winter months.

Louis Edgar, Beckett Road, spent the week-end in Montreal, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. Zinman.

Mesdames Louis Bernstein and Joseph Schwartz were joint hostesses at a tea and bridge given at the Community Centre, Sunday evening last. Cards were played and prizes were won by Mesdames Sam Echenberg, F. Pollock, David Echenberg, Miss Florence Kushner and Louis Rosenbloom. Raffle was won by Harry Budning.

S. Mozel, of Montreal, has returned home after a week here.

Mrs. M. Echenberg, Prospect Street, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Saul Usher, Montreal, for a few weeks.

Rachel Smith Edgar Chapter of Hadassah held a meeting at Mrs. Louis Echenberg's home, Magog Street, Tuesday evening last. Bazaar in March.

Mrs. Lebeau, Walton Avenue, is visiting in Montreal for a few weeks.

The Social Sewing Circle meet Thursday evening, with Mrs. Frank Pollock, High Street.

A. D. Smith spent a day in Montreal.

EDMONTON

Mr. and Mrs. A. Goldman entertained over one hundred guests at their home, in honour of the bar-mitzvah of their youngest son, Billy, which was solemnized at the Edmonton Synagogue, Saturday, February 11. The bar-mitzvah recently recovered from a severe illness.

HAMILTON

Mrs. George Wolfe, of Ottawa, visited with her mother, Mrs. Morris, Rutherford Avenue.

Misses Lenore Rubens and Lou Godelph returned from Buffalo, where they attended the conference of Religious School Teachers last week-end.

Agudath Zion held an open meeting Thursday evening at Beth Jacob club rooms. Harry Green, of Toronto, was the speaker and a vote of thanks was given by Dave Robinson. B. Laster, of Toronto, also spoke. Dr. S. Rosen made an appeal for new members.

Mrs. James Ruben was mah-jongg hostess Thursday afternoon. Prizes were won by Mesdames J. Holzman, H. Grossman and R. Levy.

Born, to Dr. and Mrs. M. Seigel, Burris Street, a daughter.

Mrs. S. Rabkin entertained at bridge and mah-jongg Saturday evening, honouring her sister, Mrs. M. Segel, of Montreal. Prizes were won by Mesdames A. Grosberg, of Toronto, and D. Levy.

At a supper given by the Mothers' Club of the Talmud Torah, Max Epstein was toastmaster, Rev. Levine spoke and Rev. J. Levinson sang. Miss Sara Mintz gave folk songs Miss Lillian Blumenthal, solo; Miss Dorothy Taylor, recitations.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Chertkoff motored to Toronto Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Grossman entertained Sunday evening in compliment to Mrs. Grossman's father, Mr. Rosener, of Winnipeg, who is returning home after several months' visit here and in Montreal.

Miss Rose Spector, of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. Gunter, Gibson Avenue, for a week.

Miss Selina Harris, Delaware Avenue, entertained Sunday afternoon and evening at bridge and mah-jongg.

The Progress Club of Anshe Sholom Congregation held a card party and dance in the vestry rooms Sunday evening. Committee: Misses Helen Frank, Ethel Sweet; and Lloyd Bloom, Ed. Glass, Earl Lyons.

Mrs. H. Gerofsky, 77 Spadina Avenue, entertained at bridge, Wednesday, February 8. Among the out-of-town guests were Mrs. S. Zeldin, of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Wright, 246 Victoria Avenue North, entertained Sunday night, February 12, at Beth Jacob Synagogue, at a bridge and money shower for the Talmud Torah. Prizes were won by Mesdames Grimblatt, Sacks, Michaels, Fagan, Balinson, Querl, Scharfatz, Seigel, Misses Scharfatz, Adell Barrs and Edna Rathkam. Violin selections were played by Miss Lillian Wright, accompanied by Miss Lillian Levy. Refreshments were served by the hostess. Assisting her were Mrs. Percy Wright, Mrs. Alex Stein, Mrs. H. P. Kentor, Misses Shirley and Rose Wright and Miss Dora Lax.

Rebecca Kohut Group of Young Judaea held an inter-club party Thurs-

day evening at Anshe Sholom vestry rooms, to which was asked the Balfour Boys Group. On the programme were: R. Guzner, dance; Clara Zola and Gladys Epstein, mystic dialogue.

At her home, 283 Bay North, Mrs. K. Hershcowitz died. She leaves her husband, six children, Mrs. J. Hershcowitz, Mrs. B. Rosen, J. Rosenfeld and Maurice Hershcowitz, of Hamilton; Peter Hershcowitz, in California, and Mrs. Clara Myeroff, in Europe.

Miss Edith Pincovitz is spending a six weeks' visit with friends in Brooklyn, N.Y.

OSHAWA

Miss Gertrude Oilgisser has returned home after spending two weeks in Cornwall and Montreal.

OTTAWA

Miss Eva Abramson has returned home after visiting for five weeks in Cleveland, Detroit and Toronto.

Mrs. Wm. Holzman, who visited in Cleveland, Toronto and Hamilton for three weeks, has returned home.

Cecil Slonemsky left last Sunday for New York where he will remain for a few weeks.

Wolf Shenkman has left for New York, Miami and Cuba, to be away a month.

Mrs. A. Bartlestone, of New York, was the guest of Mrs. R. H. Millar.

Talmud Torah annual masquerade and Purim ball at Talmud Torah Hall Tuesday evening, March 6.

Mrs. Wolf Shenkman was hostess at a bridge and mah jongg party given under the auspices of D'Israeli chapter I.O.D.E. Those assisting in the tea room were Mrs. S. Brodie and Mrs. S. Gluck. Mrs. M. L. Diamond received money donations.

Plans for reducing the mortgage on the Ottawa Talmud Torah building were laid at a meeting of the board last Sunday. Committee: S. Coplan and A. Betcherman, joint chairmen; C. Caplan, M. Max, A. Brunberg, A. Schaffer, H. H. Sugarman, M. Feller and S. Berger. Banquet, March 18. I. Rosenthal, chairman of the educational committee, reported that examinations would be held April 8. It was announced that Mrs. C. Caplan and Mrs. M. Loeb will give a musicale and dance at the Talmud Torah Hall, February 26, under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Talmud Torah. The financial statement for the month presented by A. Cohen, financial secretary, showed receipts of $839.07 and expenditures of $651.96. Present were: M. Loeb, chairman; H. H. Sugarman, A. Schaffer, A. Betcherman, A. Brunberg, M. Max, B. Pearl, C. Caplan, S. Coplan, B. Goldfield, S. Kronick, J. Rivers, M. Greenblatt, I. Rosenthal, N. Metrick, A. Cohen and S. Berger.

Sam Rachlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Rachlin, 361 Nelson Street, died in Baltimore, Md., while on a motor trip to Florida accompanied by David Futeral, Sunday, February 12. He was 28 years of age. The funeral service was held at his home in Ottawa, Wednesday afternoon, February 15. Rev. J. D. Mirsky officiated. Surviving are his parents and one brother, Louis Rachlin. Among those in the cortege were: A. Futeral, W. Bodovsky, D. Futeral, S. Lepofsky, A. Cohen, I. L. Cohen, B. Lifschitz, A. Levinson, M. Held, Joe Simon, D. Williams, J. Bilsky, H. Horlick, C. Slonemsky, M. L. Diamond, J. Rosenfeld, M. Greenberg, N. Greenberg, M. Robe, M. Palmer, J. Shore, S. Berger, A. Lieff, Dr. H. Roodman, M. Hersch, H. Hertz, M. Levison, M. Pollock, S. Wolstein, M. Goldsmith, S. Goldberg, S. Bressler, C. Tanner, M. Betcherman, W. Betcherman, E. Greenspoon, M. Lobel, B. Benewick.

TORONTO HADASSAH

Toronto Hadassah Council reception to Toronto Hadassah Monday afternoon, February 27, at the King Edward Hotel, Pompeian Room. Rabbi Joseph L. Frank, of Buffalo, N.Y., will be guest speaker.

Rose Chapter met Monday afternoon, February 20, at the home of Mrs. Charles James, 506 Palmerston Boulevard. Jacob W. Gringorten spoke on "The Hadassah Woman." Next meeting will be a Purim luncheon and bridge, Monday, March 5.

Central Chapter met at the Zionist Institute Monday evening, February 20. New members: Mesdames J. Greenspoon, A. Sherman and I. Warshavsky. Sewing was distributed. Orders were received for 500 pounds Palestinian matzohs as a result of an appeal by Mr. E. Lastar, provincial chairman for Palestinian matzohs. Miss Rose Abramowitz lectured on "The Jewish Woman." Next meeting at the Zionist Institute, Monday evening, March 5, at a megilla service.

Kadimah Chapter met at the home of Mrs. S. Isaacson, 394 Crawford Street. Final arrangements were made for the chapter dance at the Zionist Institute, Saturday evening, March 3. Dutch supper. Orders were taken for Palestinian matzohs. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. B. D. Garfield, 32 Kenwood Avenue.

Daughters of Zion Chapter met at the home of Mrs. L. L. Cohen, 408 Clinton Street, Monday afternoon, February 20. Purim food sale for March 5, afternoon and evening, at the Zionist Institute. Orders were taken for Palestinian matzohs. Mesdames J. Samuels and H. Griss, new members. Special meeting of the Chapter at the home of Mrs. R. Greenberg, 438 Markham Street, Monday afternoon, February 27.

Western Chapter met at the Zionist Institute, Monday afternoon, February 20, Mrs. S. Glazier submitted a financial report on the theatre night. B. Lastar took orders for Palestinian matzohs. Purim luncheon at the Zionist Institute, Monday, March 5.

Scopus Chapter held a bridge and tea at the home of Mrs. Herman Kluger, 225 Lonsmount Drive, Monday, February 6. Mesdames H. Kluger and M. Goldberg were joint conveners. Mrs. H. A. Farber, president, thanked the conveners of the bridge. The chapter met at a regular meeting, Monday, February 20, at the home of Mrs. M. Sprachman, Crawford Street. Raffles for a Kodak will be closed within the next three weeks. The closing of the raffle takes place at a bridge meeting, the date of which will be announced in the next issue of the REVIEW. Next meeting Monday afternoon, March 5, at the home of Mrs. H. S. Rosenberg, 2A Sylvan Avenue. Naomi Chapter met at the home of Mrs. M. Greisman, 38 Wells Street. Those wishing to contribute recipes to the kosher cook book, communicate with Mrs. F. Silverman, Kenwood 4377M.

Herzl Chapter met Wednesday, February 15, at the home of Miss Ray Rittersporn. Miss Reva Geller presided. The lucky number for the Loew's season pass was drawn by Miss Dena Offstein, of St. Catharines, Ont., and was won by Mr. Curtis. Miss Edyth Ginsberg donated a spread, on which names are going to be embroidered for donations, proceeds to go to Keren Hayesod. Miss Edna Geller was appointed convener. Next meeting at the home of Miss Nellie Lende, 1974½ Queen Street East, February 29.

Ruth Chapter bridge, Wednesday evening, March 7, at Zionist Institute, Beverley Street. Tickets from Pauline Rappaport, Lynd. 4504.

TEA DANCE SUNDAY

Wir Dienen Girls' tea dance, Sunday, February 26, at University Synagogue Chambers from four to seven o'clock.

MAYOR McBRIDE ADDRESSES BOY COUNCIL

Mayor Roy C. Madden delivered his address at the inaugural meeting of the Toronto Boy Municipal Council. This assembly of the 1928 council took place in the regular Council Chambers at the City Hall. Mayor Sam McBride congratulated the Boy Councillors and told them to aim to be good followers, but better leaders. Commissions appointed: Controller Pasis, athletic commissioner; Con. Reddaway, publicity; Ald. Maynard, social service; Ald. Austin King, organization; Ald. Mac Brown, social service committee. Any information in this regard will be given by Ald. Brown, Trinity 7706M. The Council intends to manage a theatre night to help defray the year's expenses necessary for the Boy Council to continue to help the under-privileged boy in Toronto. Ald. Dyment is taking up the project for the decrease of age limit for the use of school car tickets. The public is welcome at the next meeting at the Council Chambers, City Hall, March 10. Further council news will be published in the CANADIAN JEWISH REVIEW.

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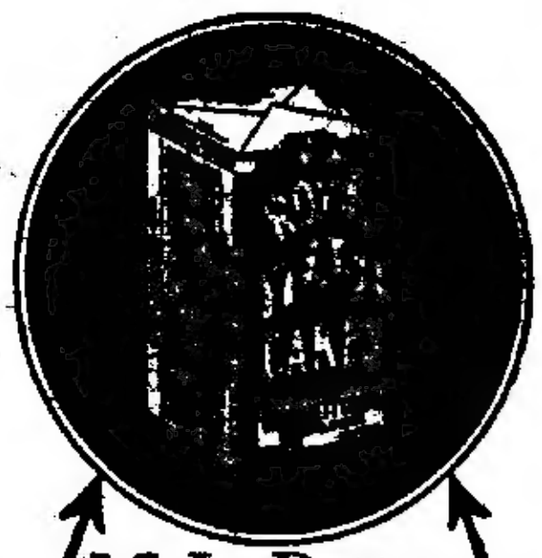

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Great lives usually mark outstanding events in history. So do famous men pave the way to the enlightenment of the Jewish people. A great German personality in Jewish life was Moses Mendelssohn, who became a leader with definite objects in view. His theory of teaching the Jew to become a citizen was a step to political emancipation.

In Russia was Elijah of Vilna, better known as the Gaon, whose great learning, wisdom and insistence on Hebrew teaching was a factor in keeping alive the spirit of Judaism. With the efforts of the Gaon to use Hebrew as the vehicle to all open knowledge, other great men were firm in their outlook for a national language.

Great has been the struggle for the Jew who to-day can now take active part in the affairs of his adopted country. The struggle for existence has been terrific. To-day the work is going on, of keeping alive the spark of which through ages of darkness, has always been kindled.

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movements. While he himself regarded religious evolution as necessary he held that it must come by the power of the living idea of Jewish nationality and its historical culture. Hess also contributed many articles to Jewish periodicals.

RELATION OF THE FRENCH REVOLUTION WITH THE EMANCIPATION OF THE JEW IN EUROPE

By MAY SACKS
Nordia Circle

The Struggle for Emancipation! This subject has two divisions, one, dealing with the benefit of the Emancipation and the results, the other division with the courses of Emancipation, both remote and immediate.

The story of the emancipation of the Jewish people, is written in words of blood. Until the latter part of the eighteenth century, the Jews clanned together in the ghettos were openly despised, secretly abused, and generally mistreated, because they were Jews. But, with the basis of "Equality for Man," it automatically changed the situation of the Jewish people after the

SUN LIFE REPORT

The extraordinary expansion of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada during the last few years has caused its annual report to be awaited with unusual interest, not only by the policyholders of the Company, but by a large section of the general public.

Perhaps a sentimental interest attached to this expectation this year, because the President, Mr. T. B. Macaulay, in October celebrated his fiftieth year of continuous service, and it was known that the world-wide organization of the Sun Life Company had determined to specially honour his jubilee with an outstanding tribute in the form of increased business.

Having in view the fact that the Company's business has doubled on an average every five or six years since it was organized, it would appear rather difficult to outdo previous records. But the annual report which the President has just submitted, and which appears in this issue, must have surpassed the expectations of the most sanguine. The total amount of assurances in force with the Company now approaches the billion and a half figure, $1,487,000,000, an increase for the year of over $231,500,000. The total net income for the year exceeded $100,000,000 —five times what it was ten years ago and more than $23,000,000 in excess of the income for the previous year.

The outstanding position of the Sun Life Company in the assurance world is not confined to Canada. Such statistics as are available for 1927 indicate that the aggregate new business of all the companies operating in North America last year barely exceeds the total new business of the previous year. The increase in the new business of the Sun Life of Canada, on the other hand, was twenty-three per cent. Assurances in force on the books of the Company have doubled in four years—new business has trebled in that period.

This wonderful expansion has been paralleled by a great increase in the already proverbial strength and resources of the Company. The assets have been increased by over $56,000,000, and now reach the impressive total of over $400,000,000. The Company's assets approximate the amount of the total assurances in force only eight years ago.

The surplus earned during the year amounted to over $38,500,000. The Company has followed its conservative policy with respect to this surplus and deducted $5,000,000 from the market value of its securities as a further provision against possible future fluctuations, the total amount set aside for this purpose now standing at $10,000,000. The account to provide for unforeseen contingencies has been increased by $1,500,000 and now amounts to $12,500,000. The sum of $1,000,000 has been written off the Company's properties; an additional $500,000 has been set aside in anticipation of the greater longevity of annuitants—the total provision under this head now being $2,000,000. Another $50,000 has been set aside to provide for claims with respect to total disability cases as yet unreported. $11,000,000 has been paid or allotted as profits to policyholders during the year, and over $6,000,000 has been contingently allotted to deferred dividend policies issued prior to 1911 and to five-year distribution policies to provide for profits accrued but not yet payable.

After making these liberal deductions and allocations, over $11,000,000 has been added to the undivided surplus, which now stands at more than $45,000,000.

There is good news again for the participating policyholders of the Company in the announcement that the scale of dividends to be paid to policyholders during the year commencing April 1st next will be again increased—this for the eighth successive year. The interest rate on dividends left with the Company will be maintained at 5½ per cent. per annum during the new dividend year.

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Alois Schweiger, a Jewish exporter formerly of Ungarish Brod, died in Vienna, leaving a fortune amounting to 105 million Czech crowns. Twenty per cent. of the sum is devised for the relief of the poor of the native town of the deceased, without distinction of race or persuasion. Another twenty-five per cent. will go to the community of Vienna for the purpose of establishing a foundation for high school professors and export academicians. The remaining fifty per cent. is to be distributed among his relatives in case of these being impoverished. Mr. Schweiger was a bachelor and had one brother living in Vienna and a sister in Ungarish Brod.

Max D. Steuer, noted New York attorney, received $15,000 for arguing thirty minutes in the Supreme Court several weeks ago against the issuance of an injunction against George Graham Rice, publisher of "The Wall Street Iconoclast."

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DINNER DANCE

The annual dinner and dance of the Oakdale Golf and Country Club was held Tuesday evening, February 14, in the Pompeian Room of the King Edward Hotel. A general report was given by Egmont Frankel, vice-president, in the absence of the president, Harry Rotenberg. Cup presentations were awarded to winners of various tournaments as follows: Handicap tournament for president's cup, I. H. Kurtz, runner-up, Frank Fremes; vice-president's cup, won by Rabbi F. M. Isserman, runner-up, Harry C. Greenberg; club tournament won by J. J. Allen, runner-up, J. Schipper; ladies' tournament, won by Mrs. Jess Kaplan, runner-up, Mrs. A. B. Laddon. Club handicap match won by Lou Greisman. Present were: Alec Solway, S. Silverman, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Smith, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Sapera, Mr. and Mrs. I. Singer, Mr. and Mrs. L. Rosenfeld, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nathanson, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Nusbaum, B. Luxenberg, Mr. and Mrs. J. Levy, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Laddon, Mr. and Mrs. F. Levenston, Mrs. Ira Levy, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Kaplan, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Kurtz, J. L. Jacobs, Rabbi and Mrs. F. M. Isserman, J. H. Greenberg, Mr. and Mrs. L. Gelber, S. Alexander, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. S. Goodman, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gittes, Mr. and Mrs. S. Frankel, Louis Frankel, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Frankel, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Frankel, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fremes, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Epstein, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Draimin, Mr. and Mrs. J. Creed, Mark G. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cohen, Murray Brodey, Misses Sarah Solway, Sylvia Silverman, Helen Levine, Edna Frankel, Leola Levy; Dr. and Mrs. M. Kates, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Jule Allen, Mr. and Mrs. L. Wagman, Mr. and Mrs. M. Stein, S. Lubell, Mr. and Mrs. S. Manolson, Mrs. M. S. Till, Mrs. H. C. Greenberg.

FRATERNITY PARTY

The first formal event of the season of the Rho Pi Phi Pharmacy Fraternity took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Mirochnick, 81 Wells Hill Avenue, Tuesday, February 14. The guests were received by Mr. and Mrs. Mirochnick, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. M. Haberman. Present: Mr. and Mrs L. Sher, Misses B. Cohen, S. Rotenberg, S. Mirochnick, G. Smith, A. Henry, F. Goldstein, D. Goldberg, S. Smith, C. Kupsov, E. Sidowsky and B. Eichler, M. Cohen, E. Einbeinder, H. Corb, S. Roth, S. Quit, H. Sackin, A. Lazarus, J. Sky, G. Tickton, W. Isaacson and N. Mendelson. The rooms were decorated. Favours. Prize dances were won by Mrs. L. Sher and Miss S. Rotenberg.

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CLUB MEETS

Tel-Jer Club met last Sunday afternoon at the home of Leo Broderson, 66 Robert Street. Plans for their dance and club paper were discussed. Debate: "Resolved, that the woman's place is in the home." Affirmative, Albert Donn; negative, Oscar Abramowitz, won. Discussion on the debate. Refreshments. Those present were: Samuel Geller, Harold Sandler, Louis Horowitz, Harold Averling, Leo Broderson, Manuel Wineberg, William Langer, Albert Donn, Morris Korn, Benjamin Borsook, Murray Averling, Vincent Geller and Oscar Abramowitz.

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SOCIAL EVENING

The J. C. H. Girls Club held a social evening at the Jewish Community House, Saturday evening, February 4. Games, refreshments, dancing. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. M. Garber, Misses Esaie Simons, Lillian Jacobs, Ruby Mental, Sophie Garshon, Thelma Kauffman, Sylvia Jaffey, Sylvia Shabberman, Nina Kendal, Doris Lester, Phyliss Lester, Betty Hornick, Eva Capitofsky, Fanny Rovansky, Rita Shapario, Bessie Sacks, Bertha Gold, Vera Libman, Esther White, Ruth Kauffman, Rose Grossman and Rose Rubenstein. J. C. H. Girls have changed their name to the Delsia Girls.

PARENTS MEET

A meeting of the parents of Miss Madorsky's class (A-2-1) was held Sunday, February 12, at 11 a.m., at Talmud Torah. Present: I. Blumenfeld, L. Milrod, Ph. Stone, F. Torno, Louis Smith, S. Goldhar, Mesdames Anna Buckstein, Rae Sclar; Sarah Greenbaum, Rev. and Mrs. D. Herman. Members of the board present: L. Levinsky, G. Solway, J. Andrews.

FARM SCHOOL MEETING

A special general meeting of the Canadian Jewish Farm School will be held at the Zionist Building, on Beverley Street, Sunday, March 4, at 3 p.m. Each Jewish organization will send two representatives. The meeting is sponsored by M. Saxe, president; Lewis Samuel, honorary secretary; Edmund Scheuer, honorary treasurer; Norman Helpert, trustee.

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REST HOME BUDS

Rest Home Buds met at the home of Miss Bernice Rotenberg, Hilton Avenue. Next meeting at the home of Miss Deborah Levi, 223 Huron Street, Sunday, February 26. The four groups of the Rest Home Buds and their leaders presented a concert Thursday, February 23, at Holy Blossom Synagogue Chambers. The names of the children who took part will be published in next week's REVIEW.

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EDITH L. GROVES, Chairman of Management Committee.
W. W. PEARSE, Business Administrator and Secretary-Treasurer.

NOTICE OF DIVORCE

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM JOHN BRETT, of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, in the Province of Ontario, Salesman, will apply to the Parliament of Canada at the present session thereof, for a Bill of Divorce from his wife, Christiana Brett, of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, on the grounds of adultery and desertion.

Dated at the City of Toronto, in the County of York, in the Province of Ontario, this 20th day of February, A.D. 1928.

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The Purim Party of the children of the Saturday section of the Religious School will be held Saturday, March 3, at 5 p.m.; of the Sunday section, March 4, at 3 p.m.

Monday last Rabbi Isserman addressed the Ministerial Association of the United Church. Wednesday he spoke to the Women's Student Christian Association. Wednesday evening he presided at a meeting of the Religious Education Association at Hart House. Thursday he addressed the Transportation Club, and next Tuesday he is scheduled to speak at the Hamilton Theosophical Society in Hamilton. He has also been invited to address the Kiwanis Club of Barrie and of St. Thomas, the Bible Class of St. Andrew's Church, and has received other invitations.

Good-Will Night of the Men's Club this coming Monday evening. Rev. Father Burke, Rev. W. Harold Young of St. Paul's, and Rabbi Isserman will speak. Other speakers will be the representatives of the daily press, among them J. E. Atkinson, of the "Star."

Contributions to the fund for the Hebrew Union College were received from J. C. Epstein, J. J. Dubey and Abe Rosenthal.

Library donations were received last week from Audrey Rothschild in honour of her birthday, and from Norton Penturn in honour of his bar-mitzvah.

The following were working in the Sewing Circle for the Jewish Boys' Club at the Synogogue Chambers last Tuesday: Mesdames Ralph Raphael, Maurice Cohen, M. M. Cohen and M. Geldzaeler. Donations for the sewing were received from Mesdames Anna Simonsky, B. Beder and C. Wecksler.

MEDICAL FRATERNITY

The Social-Scientific meeting was held by Alpha Sigma Chapter of Phi Delta Epsilon Medical Fraternity, Sunday, February 19, at the Chapter House, 39 Willcocks Street. I. Chaikoff, of the Department of Physiology of the University of Toronto, talked on "Newer Theories of Diabetes." The lecture was illustrated by charts and mathematical calculations. Discussion.

Joseph Gold

son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Gold, 1177 Bloor Street West, who won the Senior Oratorical Contest for a gold medal at Jarvis Collegiate Institute.

Goel Tzedek Synagogue, University Avenue. Rabbi Samuel Sachs.

Boy Scouts will be guests this Friday night. Sermon at 8.30, "Mollycoddling Our Boys." Saturday at 10.30 the rabbi will preach on the Biblical portion of the week. Junior Young People's League meet Sunday at 7.45 p.m. Carl Keyfetz, president of the Senior Y.P.L., who has recently attended the Y.P.L. convention in New York, will speak on "Problems of Jewish Adolescents." Musical programme. Sunday School Purim entertainment, Sunday, March 4, at 2.30 p.m.

Sisterhood met Tuesday afternoon, February 14, at the home of Mrs. M. Mehr, 121 Lyndhurst Avenue. Mrs. Julius Eisman spoke on "The Religious Development of the Child." Rabbi Sachs gave a short talk. Discussion. The home and school meeting and social evening of the parents of the pupils of classes 1 and 2 took place at the home of Mrs. White, 510 Palmerston Boulevard, Monday evening, February 20. Present: Miss Freda Schwartz, Miss Lubetsky, Mrs. I. Siegel, Mrs. H. James, Mrs. Perlman, Mrs. Wasserman, Rabbi and Mrs. Sachs, Mr. and Mrs. E. White, Mr. and Mrs. C. Rotenberg, M. Cooper, Mrs. H. Kaplan, Mrs. Cohen, Mrs. Weil. Next meeting of Home and School Council of Collegiate Class at the home of M. Cooper, 162 Madison Avenue, March 12. Last Friday evening the Sisterhood received after the services, Mrs. M. S. Till and L. Smith in charge.

Young People's League met Sunday, February 19, in the vestry rooms in conjunction with the Women's League. The delegates, Miss Rose Abramowitz, Herbert Weiss and Carl Keyfetz, who recently returned from New York, submitted their reports on the convention which they attended. Rabbi Sachs and Mrs. I. H. Seigel extended welcome and thanks. Novel dance, Saturday, March 3. Milton Meretsky is chairman of the social committee. Next meeting, March 11. Junior Young People's League meets Sunday, February 26 at 7.45. Business and musical programme. Carl Keyfetz will speak. All between 15 and 17 invited.

KAPPA DELTA BRIDGE

Kappa Delta Club entertained at bridge Sunday afternoon last at the home of Miss Lillian Starkman, Dundas Street West, complimenting Miss Anne Broudy, a February bride-elect who was given sterling silver candlesticks from the club. Prize-winners were: Misses Frances Friedman and Etta Wagman.

YOUNG JUDAEA

Haifa Girls of Young Judaea will hold a tea at the home of Miss Stella Mahl, 238 Huron Street, between 3 to 6 p.m., Sunday, February 26.

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Several new lecturers have been invited to the Institute of Jewish Studies of the Hebrew University in Jerusalem subsequent to the conference of the Governing Council recently held at Mayence. Dr. Baer, of the Berlin Hochschule was asked to deliver a course of lectures on the medieval history of the Jews of Western Europe. Dr. Epstein, of London, will lecture on the Jewish social and economic life in Europe. Dr. Albeck, of Berlin, will lecture on the Halachah and on Biblical exegesis. Dr. Tcherikower, of Tel Aviv, will conduct a course on Hellenistic Judaism and Dr. Diesenbruck will lecture on medieval Jewish philosophy. Professor Klein and Dr. Epstein have been given permanent appointments at the university, and Professor Sholem has been appointed for a period of three years.

Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, of New York, assailed cults which seek to link religion with health, in his sermon at Carnegie Hall. The business of religion, Dr. Wise said, is to concern itself with moral and spiritual health and to leave physical health to physicians. Faith which would deal with health the preacher termed "the most hideous of quackeries." For placing the attainment of health, as paramount to everything else, Dr. Wise said these religions placed moral and spiritual health in the background.

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TORONTO SOCIAL

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Miss Emma Mayer, of New York, who visited her sister, Mrs. Maurice Frankel, Isabella Street, has returned home.

Mrs. Mark G. Cohen, Madison Avenue, came home Monday from Battle Creek, Mich.

Saul Dobrofsky, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Hutner, Brunswick Avenue.

Mrs. J. J. De Young Greenberg, Wright Avenue, is home from a three months' business trip to New York.

Mrs. William Holzman and Miss Eva Abramson, of Ottawa, Ont., were guests of Mrs. J. J. Allen, Roxborough Road, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph King, of Whitby, are leaving Tuesday to spend a month in the south.

Mrs. M. H. Epstein, Hilton Avenue, returned home at the end of the week from a trip to New York.

Samuel Kronick, Madison Avenue, is expected home Monday from Miami, Florida, where he visited Mrs. Kronick and the children, who are wintering there.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hermant, who are taking the Mediterranean cruise, are now in England.

Mrs. Sidney Jacobs, of Chicago, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. De Young Greenberg, Wright Avenue, for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Cherniavsky, Wells Street, are entertaining Friday evening.

Mrs. S. E. Lyons, Douglas Drive, is spending two weeks in New York.

Mrs. C. B. Stone, Isabella Street, entertained a few friends Monday evening.

Miss Lillian Topp, of Collingwood, Ont., spent the week-end in Toronto and attended the annual at home at Osgoode Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Davidson and daughter, Henrietta, Danforth Avenue, are home from a visit to New York.

Mrs. F Atkins, of London, Ont., formerly of Toronto, entertained at Casa Loma at a linen shower in honour of Miss Becky Onrot, a bride of next month.

A Valentine party was held Saturday by Miss Eva Rinaldo, at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. Fishman, Denison Avenue. Lucky number prizes were won by Miss Helen Small and Morris Lovsky. Music by Bill Rosenberg, Many Gans, Harry Franklin and Harry Arbess. Misses Tillie Fishman, Shirley Tepperman, Sonya and Jean Peters, Mary Kaminer, Sarah Rosenberg, Bessie Halman, Anne Mandel, Rose Gruber, Sarah Freedman, Rose Langer, Ruth Rinaldo, Rose Kronis, Hilda Shiff; and William Kates, San Applebaum, Dave Vinzie, Louis Rosenberg, Paul Sugar, Harry Mitchell, Jack Bornstein, Morris Lovsky, Ben Wesley, Saul Freiberg, Nat Freedman, Nathan Black, Dave Kates, Buddy Greisman and Mike Pless were there.

Mrs. M. Geldzaeler, Walmer Road, entertained a few friends Monday evening.

I. Shapiro, Burnside Avenue, is spending a few days in Montreal.

Miss Margaret Spinner, who has been visiting in New York and Washington for the past two months, is back.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Stone, of Crawford Street, are at 81 Isabella Street.

Mrs. A. Sprachman, Crawford Street, entertained at the second of a series of bridges Sunday.

Mrs. J. Crangle, Markham Street, has left for Detroit to attend the wedding of her brother, John Kestenberg, to Miss Elaine Charnick, of Detroit.

Mrs. J. Goldenberg, Shaw Street, entertained Tuesday last.

Mrs. I. Caplan, Braemore Gardens, entertained Tuesday evening.

Mrs. J. Gold and Mrs. P. Romberg gave a linen shower at the home of the former, 123 University Avenue, in honour of their niece, Miss Becky Onrot, a bride of next month.

Mrs. G. Fine, of Guelph, Ont., was hostess at bridge at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Pezim, 1 Huron Street, February 17, honouring Mesdames C. I. Swartz and O. Bernstein, of Philadelphia.

A piano recital will be given by Miss Florence Singer, March 1, at 8.15 p.m., in the Conservatory Music Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Pezim, 85 Alberta Avenue, gave a family dinner Sunday, February 19, honouring Mesdames C. I. Swartz and O. Bernstein, of Philadelphia and Mr. and Mrs. H. Gerofsky, of Hamilton.

Joseph S. Lavene, Normanna Avenue, spent a few days in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Rotenberg, of Windsor, Ont., who motored here for a week, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Rotenberg, Hilton Avenue. Mrs. H. Rotenberg will accompany them on a trip to Detroit and Flint, Mich.

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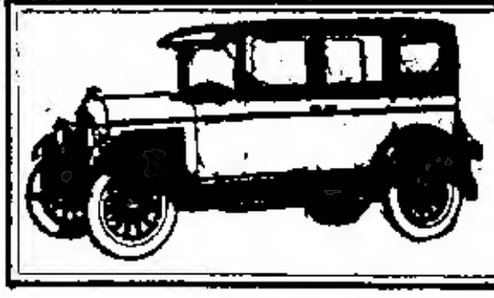

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Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Goldstone (née Anne Greenbaum), who spent their honeymoon in Detroit, motored home Sunday.

Irving Finstein will sail from New York City, February 23, aboard the S.S. Ebro, for Callao, Peru, proceeding from there to Lima, to be gone for a few years.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Rockmaker, Bathurst Street, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Blumenthal, of Hamilton, last week-end.

Miss Sadie Pearlman, Ossington Avenue, has as her guest, Miss Gertrude Bercuson, of Windsor, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Goodman, of Detroit, motored here and are guests of Mrs. C. Goodman, Lennox Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kauffman, Sussex Court Apartments, are leaving shortly to live in Montreal.

Miss Bessie Grossberg, of Kincardine, who was the guest of Mrs. D. Goldblatt, Queen Street East for a few days, has gone home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hyams, of Vancouver, B.C., are at the King Edward Hotel.

Mrs. S. K. Baum, of Windsor, is the guest of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Manning Stone, Ridge Drive.

Mrs. S. Wilder, Palmerston Boulevard, entertained Thursday evening.

Mrs. L. Sher, Ossington Avenue, left Saturday for an indefinite stay in New York, where she is the guest of Miss Faye Manners.

Mrs. P. Abrams and daughter, Elenor, Indian Road, are leaving to spend a few weeks in Buffalo and Atlantic City.

Mrs. J. Rashkofsky, Burnside Avenue, entertained Tuesday afternoon and evening.

Mrs. L. A. Maldaver, Mount Royal Avenue, is leaving at the end of the week for Hamilton, where she will be the guest of Mrs. I. Siegal, for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Salter (née Shirley Weiss, of Chicago) have returned from their honeymoon spent in New Orleans, Hot Springs and other points, and are at the Sheldrake Apartments.

Mrs. Murray Draimin, Kendal Avenue, entertained a few friends Thursday evening last.

Misses Ann and Rose Greensweig gave a linen shower at their home, 507 Manning Avenue, Wednesday, February 8, in honour of Miss Queenie Loveguard, a bride-elect of next month. An electric percolator was presented by the Heral Girls. Mrs. Levine entertained at the piano, assisted by Mrs. Rose and Miss Gerty Green.

Miss Rose B. Cohen was hostess at a surprise birthday party in honour of Miss Esther Garshon at her home, Manning Avenue, Sunday, February 12. At midnight a catered supper was served to fifteen couples. The rooms were decorated in Valentine fashion. Lucky number dance was won by Miss Lillian Schwartz and Harry Baker; Valentine dance, Miss Edith Durbin and Eddy Wilson; spotlight dance, Miss Mildred Schwartz and Bill Rose; exhibition dance, Miss Anne Gertzenberg and Albert Green, of Windsor. Dorothy Gertzenberg danced. Orchestra.

Mrs. I. M. Stone, College Street, entertained at four tables of bridge, Thursday, February 7.

Mrs. E. Shapiro, Burnside Avenue, is home from a trip to New York and Montreal. In New York she was the guest of Mrs. M. Wagner.

J. J. De Young Greenberg, Wright Avenue, is leaving Friday for Boston to attend a convention where he will be presented with a prize for having reached the highest quota in Canada for Frigidaire.

Mrs. F. Atkins and son, Harold, of London, Ont., are spending the week-end with their aunt, Mrs. J. Gold, University Avenue.

Mac Silverman, Church Street, has returned home after a lengthy stay in Quebec.

Miss Dora Cohen, Borden Street, has returned home from New York after an extended stay.

Mrs. L. Goldstein, Standish Avenue, Rosedale, entertained Wednesday evening last.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Orloff, Major Street, were entertained in honour of their silver wedding anniversary, February 12, by Mrs. E. Crangle, Alberta Avenue, luncheon; Mrs. H. Goldford, Grace Street, bridge; Mrs. J. N. Greenbaum, Beatrice Street, theatre; Mrs. H. Hyde, Grace Street, who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orloff, gave a family dinner, covers were laid for thirty. The guests of honour were given a diamond brooch and platinum cuff links from their children and other gifts.

L. A. Maldaver and son, Hartley, Mount Royal Avenue, spent the past week in Montreal.

Mrs. B. Sadowski, Harper Avenue, Moore Park, entertained a few friends Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Migicovsky and children of Montreal, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Davis, Sumach Street.

Mrs. S. Baker, St. Joseph Court Apartments, entertained at bridge, at Bingham's tea rooms. Prizes were won by Mesdames B. Bernstein, E. Ebbs, I. Petlock; Mrs. E. Rosenberg, consolation.

Miss Rose Spector, Grace Street, entertained on Sunday evening.

Mrs. A. Newman, Spadina Crescent, gave a theatre party Saturday evening, in honour of Miss Becky Onrot, a bride-elect. Mrs. F. Atkins, of London, Ont. was an out of town guest.

S. Schonfeld, of Youngstown, Ohio was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. Bookman, Rushton Road, last week-end.

Mrs. S. Deitch, of Detroit, was in town for the week-end to visit her father, who met with an accident and is at St. Michael's Hospital. She was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. S. Abel, Galt Avenue.

Misses Hilda Gold and Ida Romberg entertained Tuesday last at a personal shower and bridge in honour of their cousin, Miss Becky Onrot, a bride of next month.

Mrs. H. Sable, Claremont Street, entertained at a bridge Sunday, February 5, in honour of Miss Goldie Stein, a bride-elect of this month.

Among those who entertained in honour of Miss Queenie Loveguard, whose marriage to Hershell H. Lewis, of Montreal, takes place next month, are: Misses Miriam and Eleanor Wolfson, Bloor Street, tea and miscellaneous

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Among those who complimented Miss Lillian Hoffman, whose marriage to Phillip Levine, takes place Sunday, February 26, were: Miss Helen Smookler, Hammersmith Avenue, theatre and tea; Miss Eva Sadowski, Grace Street, tea; and Mrs. Jack Levy, Brunswick Avenue, theatre and tea; Miss Anne Sher, Crawford Street, bridge and handkerchief shower at Casa Loma; Miss Anne Pifko, Beverley Street, bridge; Miss Goldie Smith, Queen Street West, musicale tea at the King Edward Hotel; Mrs. I. Weiner, Brunswick Avenue, bridge and kitchen shower; Mrs. A. Samuels, Huron Street, bridge; Miss Ruby Goldblatt, theatre and tea at the King Edward Hotel; Miss Florence Mannis, Beatrice Street, bridge; Mrs. Sam Salem, Wellesley Street, theatre and tea at the King Edward Hotel; Miss Florence Goldstein, Keele Street, luncheon at the Georgian Room and theatre; Misses Eva Rosenthal and Rose Lane, luncheon at the Georgian Room; Miss Eva Benjamin, Spadina Road, theatre party and tea; Mrs. Leon Scher, Markham Street, bridge; Miss Dora Goldman, Crawford Street, bridge; Miss Anne Scher, Euclid Avenue, luncheon at the Georgina Room; Miss Esthelle Starkman, Dundas Street West, bridge; Mrs. Moe Haberman, luncheon and bridge at a tea room.

Mrs. Mac Donn was hostess at a bridge at her home last Friday evening, in honour of Miss Sarah Samuels, a bride of this month. Mrs. M. Jessel, Mrs. I. Cowitz and Miss Eva Ramstein were prize-winners. The bride-elect received a gift.

A juvenile party was held at the home of Mrs. I. Cowitz, Saturday evening last. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Mac Jessel, Mr. and Mrs. Shep. Levine, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Goldman, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Shaul, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rosenthal, and Mr. and Mrs. Mac Donn.

FORMAL DANCE

Kappa Chapter of Pi Lambda Phi Fraternity held its sixth annual formal dance at the King Edward Hotel, Thursday evening last. The patrons and patronesses were Dr. and Mrs. Dave Perlman and Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Waldman. Dancing took place in the Yellow Room, which was decorated with the fraternity's banners and colours of purple and gold. Orchestra, spotlights and balloons added colour. Supper was served in the Pickwick Room. Entertainment. Favours were presented to the ladies and a humorous edition of Kappantics, the official publication of the chapter, was distributed. Later in the evening novelties and a skit by the alumni were given. The guests were: Misses Esther Godfrey, Betty Samuels, Helen Pullan, Freda Rose, of Rochester; Leah Kay, Gertrude Houzer, Miss Levine, Ruth Weiss, Lillian Wecksler, Freda Schwartz, Ray Carp, Helen Lavine, Helen Yanover, Frances King, Florence Hutner, Millicent Glassman, Ruth Schwartz, Laura Donnenfeld, Lucile Mehr, Sylvia Keyfetz, Ruth Lavine, Sylvia Silverman, Frances Agranove, Sylvia Lewis, Ellen Kaplan, Naomi Granatstein, Ida Solway, Beulah Papernick; and Jack Heller, Earl Fauman, Kenneth Levinson, Ralph Gruber, Samuel Granatstein, Bernard Lavine, Milton Weiss, Maurice Greenberg, Milton Meretsky, Herbert Weiss, Joseph Rosenfeld, Raphael Goldenberg, Clarence Shragge, Leonard Mehr, Arthur Hutner, Maurice Selznick, Gordon Pullan, Sidney Friefeld, Julian White, Carl Keyfetz, Gurston Allen, Saul Silverman, Alfred Schwartz, Hart D. Wintrob, Samuel Sanofsky, Bernard Cohen, Harry Sniderman, Bernard Herman.

JUNIOR LEAGUE OF NATIONS MEETING

A meeting of young people, 18 to 30, of all denominations to foster an anti-war movement is being held February 27, in Jarvis Collegiate Auditorium, at 8 p.m. W. L. Grant will preside. Among the speakers will be Col. Carnegie, Mr. MacDonald, Murray L. Keyfetz and Glen Bannerman.

MENORAH NEWS

Upon the invitation of the Menorah Society of Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill., the Menorah Society of the University of Toronto is sending Fred Catzman, Lionel Gelber and Lou Rasminsky to uphold the negative of the question "Resolved that civilization is ahead of the Jew" in Chicago, February 25.

David Siegel, Arts 3To, has been appointed by the executive to support Sam Ciglen in the debate with McGill. Subject and date will be announced later.

TWIGS

Mount Sinai Twigs met at Herzl Zion Club rooms Tuesday, February 14. Mrs. Reba Cohen spoke on "Parenthood and Psychology of the Child." Bridge March 6, for members only. Closing dance soon. Bowling every Friday. Next meeting February 28.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sydney B. Taube, of 189 Indian Road, will receive in honour of their son Erwin's bar-mitzvah at Holy Blossom Synagogue Chambers, Saturday, March 3, from 7 to 10 p.m. No cards.

BORN

To Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fine, of 242 Gillmore Avenue, Toronto, February 9, a son, at Hamilton, Ont.

Saturday, February 11, at Toronto General Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Yolles, Rosepark Drive, a son, Merton Alexander.

IN MEMORIAM

All notices under this head twenty-five cents per count line

In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Ida Goldstein, who passed peacefully away February 18, 1923. Will always be remembered by her husband, children and relatives.

COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN
(Jewish Girls' Club)

A play entitled "A Stenographer Wanted" was staged by the Bertha Draimin Girls and the Solidrams, under the auspices of Council of Jewish Women at the Old Y, Tuesday evening, February 14. Taking part were: Pearl Glostein, Lillian Davis, Lillian White, Mrs. Meyer Greenberg, Jean Williams, Susie Cohen, Fae Britt, Sadie Haneft, assisted by Joseph Gould and Samuel Miller. Piano solo, Miss Molly Fruitman: specialty dance, Sylvia Katz and Sylvia Applebaum. About 300 were present. Sunday evening, February 19, this play was presented again when 300 attended. The A.E.C. Girls with their leader, Miss Pearl Hyman, had a party at the Council Community House, Saturday evening, February 18. Present were: Sylvia Bornstein, Helen Cohen, Edith Lebofsky, Sylvia and Helen Finlay, Sarah Stone, Marian Silverman, Mary Gorlitsky, Annie Onrot, Rita Weisdorf, Pearl Grafstein, Annie Rosen and Bella Rosenberg. The leaders and teachers attending the joint meeting with the Mentors of the Boys' Club at the Primrose Club, Tuesday evening, February 14, were: Misses Kathleen Samuel, Jean Cohen, Mirian Simonsky, Albena Simonsky, Rose Smith, Thelma Goldberg, Gladys Papernick, Cecile Berenson, Marian Phillips, Ida Hurwitz, Kahlia Solkowitz and Adelaide Cohen.

CAMPAIGN TO BE LAUNCHED MARCH 4

At the last campaign meeting held Sunday, February 19, under the chairmanship of Alderman Nathan Phillips, A. Scher, president of the Folks Farein, reported that Rabbi Ferdinand M. Isserman would be honorary chairman of the approaching $25,000 campaign. D. S. Denberg, chairman of the speakers' committee, reported that fifteen organizations had been addressed. The following organizations have pledged their support: Pride of Israel Society and Ladies' Auxiliary, Young Men's Hebrew Society and Ladies Auxiliary, Chenstochower Society, Court Ahovas Achem Independent Order of Foresters, Keltzer Sick Benefit Society, Canadian Hebrew Society and Ladies Auxiliary, Toronto Hebrew Society, Linitzer Sick Benefit Society and Ladies Auxiliary, Hebrew Friendly Society and Ladies Auxiliary, Sons of Jacobs Sick Benefit Society, Mozirer Sick Benefit Society, Bnai Brith, Toronto Independent Benevolent Society, Sunnyside Lodge of Oddfellows, Nariever Ladies Auxiliary, Jewish National Workers' Alliance Branch 26, Branch 72 and Branch 145; Judaean Benevolent Society and Queen Esther Lodge and Minsker Society. Campaign committee: Rabbi Ferdinand M. Isserman, honorary chairman; Ald. Nathan Phillips, chairman; M. Ellenberg, vice-president; N. B. Schipper, treasurer; J. Newman, secretary; publicity committee, A. Rhinewine, Trustee J. J. Glass, H. M. Kirshenbaum, Hebrew Journal; M. Kramer, D. S. Denberg, chairman of the speakers' committee; executive committee, Rabbi M. Berger, H. Bliss, H. Charendoff, B. Forer, Ald. J. M. Gordon, B. Goodman, J. Graner, M. Handelman, Dr. S. B. Hurwich, M. Kirshenbaum, M. Korn, S. Lent, Dr. S. Leslie, Rabbi M. H. Levy, M. Lukofsky, S. Rosenthal, I. Rothbart, A. Rovner, J. Rubin, A. Scher, Dr. N. Shaul, I. Simpson, E. F. Singer, Rabbi J. Weinreb, A. Weisfeld, D. Wolfe, M. Zimmerman. The campaign is to be launched Sunday, March 4, with a banquet at the Brunswick Avenue Talmud Torah. Lyon W. Jacobs, K.C., will be speaker.

BRIDGE MEETING

Canadian Hebrew Ladies Auxiliary held a bridge meeting Wednesday, February 15, at the Zionist Institute, Beverley Street. Fifteen tables were played. Mrs. P. King donated a hand-made apron, which was raffled for charity. The hostesses were Mesdames H. Brown, J. Cohen, Sam Shapiro and Fields.

AUXILIARY MEETING

Ladies Auxiliary Adath Israel held a committee meeting at the home of Mrs. O. Bernstein, 288 Major Street. Plans were carried out for a Purim party for the children.

TEL-JER CLUB

Tel-Jer Club met at the home of William Langer, 332 Shaw Street, Sunday, February 19. Plans for their social were discussed. Elections, Sunday, February 26. Those present were: Samuel Geller, Morris Korn, Murray Cwerling, William Langer, Albert Donn, Louis Horowitz, Harold Cwerling, Leo Broderson, Benjamin Borsook and Oscar Abramowitz.

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The Variety Boys were entertained by Jack Freedman, Huron Street, at an informal gathering. Among those present were Louis A. Shore, Harold Polway, Benjamin H. Kofsky, Jack Litman, B. Kagan, Norman Roth, W. Cohn, Harvey Benjamin and Nat Freedman. Orchestra.

The rumour has again become current in Palestine that Professor Albert Einstein has resigned from the Academic Council of the Hebrew University.

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JEWISH BOYS' CLUB

Central: The first meeting of the cabinet ministers of the Jewish Boys' Club took place Sunday, February 12, at 5.45 p.m. The Cabinet met to discuss and prepare bills to be brought up in Parliament next Sunday. On Sunday evening a debate was held between the Lions and Ephraims. Billy Saltzberg and Ben Minarsky won for the Lions, Jack Vanderhout represented for the Ephraims. Jack Sugarman of the Rangers Group was chairman. Maurice Starkman was judge. Saturday night, February 11, Benjamin group ran a group party. The Mentors, G. Allen and J. Newman, were present. The boys sang and listened to the radio. The first series of the checker tournament was held Sunday afternoon. Wildcats won by default, also Beavers, Ephraims and Bluebirds. The Stars defeated the Rangers two out of three. Harvey Fishelman representing the Stars. House League games are being run at Harbord Collegiate every Monday and Wednesday nights. P.A.C. from Fraser Centre are the team to beat for the minor groups, while Bluebirds have already captured the major series. Mr. Duckman is official referee of all games at Harbord. Charlie Lewis is leading the boys at T.H.A.A. The tumbling class is under Mr. Klebanoff. Mr. Yaffe, who is taking charge of the swimming Thursday nights, will run a swimming meet March 1. Eli Schatz is helping the swimming class Sunday afternoon at the T.H.A.A. Sunday, February 19, Mayor Roy C. Madden, of the Boys' Municipal Council, addressed the Stars. He was introduced to the group by Alderman Ben Levitt. The Stars are planning a hobby show for March 25. Results of the all-round cup race for January: Stars, 251 points; Bluebirds, 240; Rangers, 209; Benjamins, 209. Sunday, February 19, the Junior Acting Boys staged an amateur night. Results in next week's REVIEW. Tuesday, February 14, a supper meeting of the Mentors Club was held at the Primrose Club. Taylor Statten spoke. Executive meeting was held Sunday, February 19. Next regular meeting, Sunday, February 26, at the Club house, 218 Simcoe Street, from 6.45 to 8.15 p.m.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY

Chevra Bikur Cholim of the Men of England Congregation, celebrated its first anniversary Sunday, February 12, at the Assembly Hall of the synagogue. S. M. Ross, president of the congregation, was toastmaster and Rabbi H. M. Levy, speaker. Past president of the Men of England Congregation is N. Muscovitch and Mr. Wilks, vice-president. D. Himel, president and S. Rosenbaum, spoke. Entertainment was in charge of I. Black, treasurer; D. Jacobson, A. Shulman, H. Bicock, and T. Roswick, Mr. Finklestein, wardens. About 300 guests were present.

AT THE BEACH INSTITUTE

The officers and members of the Beach Institute held a reception in honour of the bringing in of a Sefer Torah, which was donated by Mrs. M. D. Pullan, in memory of her late husband. Services were conducted by Cantor Wladowsky and his choir. Rabbi S. Sachs spoke on "The Duties of the Torah."

The Pullan family assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Winberg, Silverbirch Avenue, and proceeded to the synagogue, 109 Kenilworth Avenue. The president, L. M. Schwartz, gave an outline of the work of the Congregation and Talmud Torah, and called on M. Gebertig to thank the Pullan family for their gift. The committee in charge of the sweet table was convened by Mrs. S. Able, assisted by Mrs. M. Bronstein.

Beach Ladies Auxiliary met Tuesday evening, February 14, at the Institute. J. J. Glass spoke on "The Jewish Problem, Past and Present." Arrangements are being made for a Purim play in Hebrew, by the children of the cheder for Sunday, March 11.

SURPRISE BANQUET

A surprise banquet was held February 15 by the executive of the Zion Benevolent Association in honour of H. Frankel, who was presented with a gift. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. I. Smith, M. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. H. Wintraub, Mr. and Mrs. S. Kavarack, Mrs. H. Frankel, Mr. Nathanson, Mr. and Mrs. Dickstein, Mr. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Green, Mr. and Mrs. Greenspan, Mr. and Mrs. A. Shapiro, Mr. and Mrs. W. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. Gallander, Mr. and Mrs Halberstadt, Mr. and Mrs. H. Solomon, Mr Waxman, Mr. and Mrs. I. Weslesky, Mr. and Mrs. Kohl, Mr. and Mrs. S. Wagman, D. Shatz, Mr. Sigel.

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believe that one good-will supper will suddenly transform the relations between Jews and Christians and Catholics and Protestants in our community. Such a transformation would be miraculous and miracles exist only in ancient books. But we are convinced that such adventures have spiritual value, that they do plant a seed which some day may bear fruit. They do have an effect even though it is not perceptible immediately. Men's attitudes cannot be revolutionized overnight. But in the long run, a finer spirit will prevail because of these ventures in good-will.

And even if the critics were right, and these expressions of good-will are ineffectual, we should still support them because we believe with all our heart and soul that ill-will is a curse which is poisoning the atmosphere of our community life. Whatever vitiates our communal life, we want to try to remove. Whatever may be said of the Jew, let it never be said of him that he did not try to establish with his Protestant and Catholic neighbours a relationship built on fellowship. Even if we fail, we glory in the fact that we are working for good-will. And we do not believe that we shall fail.

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modern Jews—that all we have left is a bit of universalism inaptly called "Liberal Judaism."

—A.B.B.

RACHEL'S TOMB DESECRATED

Rachel's Tomb, situated on the road near Bethlehem, has been broken into and damaged. The criminals have not been discovered. Not quite a year ago, thieves broke into the tomb and partly destroyed the wall and carried off most of the precious curtains there.

The report recently published that the Moslem Supreme Council had lifted the ban against non-Moslems entering the cave of Machpelah has been officially denied by the Moslem body. The cave is located near Hebron and is concealed by a Mosque, which was built upon the ruins of a church erected by crusaders in the twelfth century.

A commotion was caused at the opera house of Szegedin, Hungary, when, in full view of the audience, the popular tenor Javor slapped the face of the prima donna Zoeldhegyi three times. She fainted and in falling broke her arm. Javor had secretly hummed an anti-Semitic song in the prima donna's ear and her reprimand angered him.

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